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Hardeeville	_____	843-784-2233
Hilton Head Island	_____	843-689-4300
After hours non-emergency line for Hilton Head Island		843-842-4111
Port Royal	_____	843-986-2220
After hours non-emergency line for Port Royal		843-524-5123
Ridgeland	_____	843-726-7519

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Beaufort	_____	843-525-7055
Bluffton	_____	843-757-2800
Hardeeville	_____	843-784-3229
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Port Royal	_____	843-525-7055
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Sheriff

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Jasper County	_____	843-726-7777
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Introduction

Helpline, a United Way of the Lowcountry, Inc. signature program, provides complete and up-to-date information about community resources and human services. An invaluable tool for service providers as well as persons in need of assistance, the Helpline Community Directory of Services lists hundreds of local, and in some cases state and national programs, agencies, institutions and programs.

United Way of the Lowcountry, Inc. mobilizes resources to meet human needs in Beaufort and Jasper Counties through partnerships of volunteers, contributors, staff, agencies and people served. United Way funding supports a wide variety of services that focus on, among other things, literacy, health, safe shelter, good nutrition, and reducing poverty.

Great effort has been made to include as many agencies and resources as possible in this directory. If an omission has occurred, it was unintentional and we would appreciate receiving additional information. A form is provided on the following page to provide additions, changes and comments.

United Way of the Lowcountry, Inc.



Directory of Services Application

If you would like your organization's information included in the online version of this Community Directory of Services, or if there are any corrections that need to be made to an existing entry, please fill out the below information and provide to:

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Address (Please provide both mailing and physical address, if different):

Mailing

Physical

Telephone#:

Fax#:

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E-mail address and/or web address:

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Access Network, Inc.

Contact: Stan Stolarcyk
E-Mail: access@hargray.com
Website: www.access-network.org

Telephone: (843) 227-5600
Fax: (843) 379-5601

Address: 5710 North Okatie Hwy, Ste. B
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Individual case/care management for persons affected by HIV-AIDS, their families, friends, care-partners. Emergency assistance for medication, housing, utilities, nutrition, and transportation. Nutrition services, support programs, referrals, linkages and client advocacy. Free confidential testing and counseling.

Eligibility: AIDS or HIV positive

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Adopt a School of Beaufort County

Contact: Denise Ogden
E-Mail: marjar@islc.net

Telephone: (843) 838-5825
Fax (843) 838-5825

Address: St. Helena Elementary
1428 Gleasons Landing
St. Helena Island, SC 29920

Services: Intergenerational tutoring program providing one on one contact with at risk students K – 5.

Eligibility: Any student identified as being at risk

Area Served: St. Helena Elementary

Agape Family Life Center

Contact: Sandra Baldwin
E-Mail: gptemple@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 784-6008
Fax: (843) 784-5962

Address: P.O. Box 1153
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Physical: 5875 S. Okatie Hwy.
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Services: Food, clothing, GED classes, life skills

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: Jasper

Agape Hospice of the Lowcountry

Contact: Kim Hutson
E-Mail: hospice@agapesenior.com
Website: www.agapesenior.com

Telephone: (843) 645-2290
Fax: (843) 645-2291

Address: P.O. Box 718
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00 pm (Mon-Fri); 24 hours a day / 7 days a week through answering service.

Services: Nursing care (provides a registered nurse to come out at least twice a week, CNA provided for daily care), visits from social workers and chaplain, supplies such as diapers, bed pans, ensure, etc. Provides medical equipment and pays for medications related to illness.

Eligibility: Anyone diagnosed with a terminal illness

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, Colleton, Bamberg, and Allendale Counties

Al-Anon Family Group

Telephone: (843) 785-9630

Office Hours: Call for meeting times

Services: Support groups for those affected by alcoholism.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Alston Wilkes Society

Contact: Case Manager: Patty Weldy;
Comm. Coordinator: Marilyn Yarnall

Telephone: (803) 799-2490 / Summerville 821-5000
Fax: (803) 540-7223

E-Mail: brippy@alstonwilkesociety

Address: 3519 Medical Drive
Columbia, SC 29203

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Provides assistance with finding employment, securing identification, housing and other basic needs. Job training, youth programs.

Eligibility: Anyone in an at-risk situation.

Area Served: Columbia, SC

Alzheimer's Family Services of Greater Beaufort

Contact: Maria H. Landry
E-Mail: afsqb@earthlink.net

Telephone: (843) 521-9190
Fax: (843) 521-9190

Address: P.O. Box 1514
Beaufort, SC 29901-1514

Services: Social day program provides loved one with a safe, caring, comfortable environment with stimulating therapeutic activities and socialization, as well as welcome relief for caregivers (Mon - Fri. 10-1:45pm). Also provides care for the caregiver, home educator, early memory loss group, reach out program, and in home respite services.

Eligibility: Any person diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia is eligible. Caregivers of Alzheimer's disease and related dementias are also eligible for support services.

Area Served: Northern Beaufort County

Alzheimer's Respite and Resource

Contact: Edwina Hoyle
E-Mail: alzheimersrr@hargray.com
Website: www.alzheimersrr.org

Telephone: (843) 842-6688

Address: 3001 Meeting Street
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 9:00 - 3:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Social day programs for those with Alzheimer's and other dementia type diseases, support groups, networking for caregivers, free lending library, resource and referrals to other community organizations, and Speakers Bureau.

Eligibility: Any person diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia is eligible. Caregivers of Alzheimer's disease and related dementias are also eligible for support services.

Area Served: Bluffton, Hilton Head, Okatie and Hardeeville

Ambassador

Telephone: (843) 525-9066
E-Mail: beaufort@teamambassador.com

Fax: (843) 522-0521

Address: 710 Boundary Street, Ste 1-C
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri);
closed from 12:00 – 1:00pm for lunch

Services: Employment services.

Eligibility: Ability to read and write English, and ability to pass a drug screen and background check.
GED or high school diploma required.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

American Cancer Society

Contact: Nancy Wellard
E-Mail: www.cancer.org

Telephone: (843) 842-5188/ Spanish 1-866-227-0795
Fax: (843) 842-9898

Address: P.O. Box 443
Beaufort, SC 29901-0443

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Cancer information; public education.

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

American Diabetes Foundation

Contact: Judy Loon

Telephone: (843) 681-5879

Address: 25 Hospital Center Blvd.
Medical Pavilion Bldg., Suite 104
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Educational chapter that has fundraisers for Diabetes Foundation.

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: Beaufort County

American Heart and Stroke Association

Contact: Judy Caramello
E-Mail: judy.caramello@heart.org
Website: www.americanheartassociation.org

Telephone: (843) 681-2355
Fax: (843) 363-6793

Address: P.O. Box 7553
Hilton Head Island, SC 29938

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: General information on prevention of cardiovascular disease and stroke, including diet, weight control, exercise and specific heart afflictions; information on school programs, business and church wellness programs. CPR training (HHI - 682-5141; Beaufort - 525-4007)

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

American Kidney Fund

Contact: Elizabeth Webster
E-Mail: www.kidneyfund.org

Telephone: (770) 395-7347, 1-800-638-8299
Fax: (301) 881-5069

Address: 110 Executive Blvd., Suite 1010
Rockville, Maryland 20852

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: The American Kidney Fund is our nation's #1 source of direct financial assistance to kidney patients, and is a leader in providing education to those with and at risk for kidney disease.

Eligibility: General Public; for financial assistance, you must be diagnosed with kidney disease.

Area Served: National

American Lung Association

Contact: Katrina Taylor
E-Mail: ktaylor@alase.org

Telephone: (843) 556-8451, 1-800-849-5864
Fax: (843) 556-3332

Address: 1941 Savage Road, Suite 200-A
Charleston, SC 29407

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Freedom from Smoking programs; smoking education programs in schools; Camp Puff & Stuff for children with asthma; asthma programs in schools; Better Breather Clubs.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, and Colleton Counties

American Parkinson Disease Association

Contact: Joel Gerstel
E-Mail: apda@apdaParkinson.org
Website: www.apdaparkinson.org

Telephone: 1-800-223-2732
Fax: (718) 981-4399

Address: 135 Parkinson Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10305

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Organize and sponsor support groups and chapters which provide counseling, assistance and referrals; support researchers; grants awarded to established information and referral centers; newsletters; provide manuals with information on problems associated with the disease.

Eligibility: Anyone
Area Served: National

American Red Cross - Palmetto Chapter

Contact: Debbie Szpanka
E-Mail: szpanka@palmettoredcross.org
Website: www.palmettoredcross.org

Telephone: (843) 757-7437
Fax: (843) 757-7439

Address: P.O. Box 2839
Bluffton, SC 29910-1450

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: DISASTER RELIEF: Food, clothing and shelter. SERVICES TO THE ARMED FORCES: assisting the individual with personal and family problems. BLOOD SERVICES: Collects, processes and distributes blood and blood products, donor registry. HEALTH AND SAFETY SERVICES: certified instructors teach CPR, first aid, water safety, baby-sitting, child care, HIV/AIDS education.

Eligibility: Emergency needs caused by natural disasters.
Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

American Red Cross - Parris Island

Contact: Debbie Moore
Address: P.O. Box 5057 MCRD
Parris Island, SC 29905-5057

Telephone: (843) 228-4680
Fax: (843) 228-2785

Office Hours: 8:00 - 4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Emergency communications to the Armed Forces (AFES).

Eligibility: Military and military family members
Area Served: Parris Island

Angel Food Program

Website: www.angelfoodministries.com
E-Mail: angelfood@angelfoodministries.com

Telephone: (843) 524-3461
Fax: (843) 524-5950

Address: St. Johns Lutheran Church
157 Lady's Island Drive
Beaufort, SC 29907

Services: Angel Food's groceries are sold in a quantity that can fit into a medium-sized box at \$25 per unit. Each month's menu is different from the previous month and consists of both fresh and frozen items with an average retail value of approximately \$50. Program accepts Food Stamps (EBT)

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: Beaufort and Hampton Counties

Arts Council of Beaufort County

Contact: J.W. Rone
E-Mail: info@beaufortcouncilarts.com

Telephone: (843) 379-2787
Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 482
Beaufort, SC 29901

Physical: 905 Port Republic Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Services: Promote local artists. Provide small grants (\$200 - \$1,000) to local artist organizations and schools in Beaufort County for art programs.

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: BEAUFORT

Babynet

Contact: Gwen Jones, Lenora Burke
or Adrienne Kinard

Telephone: (843) 525-4085
Fax: (843) 521-5507

Address: 1407 King Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Provides evaluation and assessment for infants and toddlers with developmental delays.

Eligibility: Any child with developmental delays from birth through 3rd birthday.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Bargain Box, The

Contact: Dean Roberts

Telephone: (843) 342-2469

Website: www.bargainboxhhi.org

Address: 546 William Hilton Parkway
Hilton Head Island, SC 29928

Office Hours: Mon/Wed/Fri 1:00 - 4:00pm, Sat. 9:15 - 12:15pm;
Donation hours: Mon/Wed/Fri 8:00 - 4:00pm, Sat. 8:00 - 2:00pm.

Services: Tax deductible donations received and sold for charitable purposes (financial assistance provided for other nonprofit 501-C-3 organizations).

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort County Alcohol & Drug Abuse Department

Contact: Bud Boyne/Barbara Ray

Telephone: Beaufort (843) 470-4545

Fax: Bft. 470-4557 ; Bluffton 757-1514

Bluffton (843) 757-1500 ext. 332

Website: www.bcgov.net/alc_drug/mission.php

Address: P.O. Box 311
Beaufort, SC, 29901-0311

Physical: 1905 Duke Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Counseling; referral; prevention; structured groups; individual counseling; school intervention program; intensive outpatient program; adolescent counseling; elementary training institute.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort County Animal Shelter and Control

Contact: Staff Sgt. Linton

Telephone: (843) 846-3904

Fax: (843) 846-3608

Address: P.O. Drawer 1228
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon. - Sat.)

Services: Enforcement of animal-related codes (city, county, state); cruelty investigation; stray pick-up; adoptions with mandatory spay/neuter requirement; will accept unwanted or stray animals. Adoption hours, Mon-Sat 10 am-4 pm.

Beaufort County Department Of Social Services

Contact: Fred Washington, Director (843) 470-4618; Main Line: (843) 470-4600;
Emergency Assistance (843) 470-4656

Website: www.state.sc.us/dss

Address: P.O. Box 1065
Beaufort, SC 29901

Physical: 1905 Duke Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Family independence; food stamps, foster care, protective services for children and adults; services to unwed parents; homemakers; services to adults; family management counseling; medical services; early and periodic screening, diagnosis and treatment; USDA commodity food program; child care services eligibility; family-centered prevention services; teen companion program; work support; adoptions. Volunteer services, Mentoring Program, Adopt-a-Family program, referral services, advocacy services, collaboration of services with other agencies, agency speakers' bureau. Serves as referral agent and last resort to those who find themselves in a crisis situation for loss of job, reduction in work hours, death of spouse, medical expenses and other emergencies.

Eligibility: Varies depending on program

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort County Disabilities and Special Needs Department

Contact: Mitzi H. Wagner

E-Mail: mwagner@bcgov.net

Telephone: (843) 470-6300, (843) 470-6282

Fax: (843) 470-6288

Address: P.O. Box 129
Port Royal, SC 29935

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Family support services; Residential; Employment services; day programs; early intervention.

Eligibility: Persons with developmental and other related disabilities such as down syndrome or cerebral palsy. Must be a resident of Beaufort County.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort County Division of Mosquito Control

Contact: Liz Hager
E-Mail: lhagar@bcgov.net

Telephone: (843) 846-3913
Fax: (843) 846-1633

Address: 84 Shanklin Road
Beaufort, SC 29906

Office Hours: 7:30 - 4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Countywide mosquito control
Eligibility: Reside within Beaufort County

Beaufort County First Steps

Telephone: (843) 379-7837
E-Mail: bc1steps@hargray.com

Fax: (843) 379-7840

Address: P.O. Box 6421
Beaufort, SC 29903

Services: Parents as Teachers: collaborate with local agencies in its approach to parent education and family strengthening services by serving families and children who are at risk. Educators provide home visiting services to families, developmental screening for children, and parent education group meetings. Quality Enhancement: Provides the delivery of high quality childcare services through mini-grants, technical assistance and training for operators of childcare programs. This program also provides childcare training and development, as well as literacy development that is available for childcare providers. Playgroups for stay at home moms.

Eligibility: Children under six, their families and child care providers.

Area Served: Beaufort

Beaufort County Health Department - Beaufort Health Center

Contact: Teresa G. DeLoach, RN
Website: www.scdhec.gov/region8

Telephone: (843) 525-7615
Fax: (843) 770-2075

Address: 601 Wilmington St.
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Preventive health care to individuals of all ages and income levels. Family planning, immunization, family support services, WIC, home visits for newborns, screening and treatment for sexually transmitted diseases, tuberculosis, and other communicable diseases. Services to children with special health care needs (CRS and Babynet). Environmental sanitation and vital records services are also provided. Language assistance available.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton, and Jasper Counties

Beaufort County Health Department - Bluffton Health Center

Contact: Claudia Cartier
Website: www.scdhec.gov/region8

Telephone: (843) 757-2251
Fax: (843) 757-2253

Address: 4819 Bluffton Parkway
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Preventive health care to individuals of all ages and income levels. Immunization, WIC, Home visits for newborns, screening for tuberculosis, and other communicable diseases. Services to children with special health care needs (CRS and Babynet). Environmental sanitation services are also provided. Language assistance available.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Bluffton Area; Hilton Head Island

Beaufort County Library

Main

Telephone: (843) 525-4000

Fax: (843) 525-4071

Website: www.beaufortcountylibrary.org

Address: 311 Scott Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: Call specific location for hours

Services: Books, audios, videos; internet access; reference service; children's story times; adult programs. Afterschool Homework Center.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort County

Bluffton Branch

Telephone: (843) 757-1519

Fax: (843) 757-1505

Address: 120 Palmetto Way
Bluffton, SC 29910

Hilton Head Branch

Telephone: (843) 342-9200

Fax: (843) 342-9255

Address: 11 Beach City Road
HHI, SC 29926

Lebeco Branch

Telephone: (843) 846-3942

Fax: (843) 846-3937

Address: P. O. Box 809
Lobeco, SC 29931

St. Helena Branch

Telephone: (843) 838-8304

Fax: (843) 838-4584

Address: P.O. Box 308
St. Helena Island, SC 29920

Beaufort County Parks & Leisure Services

Telephone: (843) 470-6200

Fax: (843) 470-6209

Website: <http://www.bcgov.net/Parks/ParksLocationChoice.php>

Address: 1 Middleton Recreation Drive
Beaufort, SC 29906

Office Hours: Hours vary by location

Services: Recreation; youth and adult activities.

Area Served: Beaufort County (*Please call or visit the website for a complete list of over 20 locations*)

Beaufort County Probate Court

Contact: Judge Francis M. Simon

Telephone: (843) 470-5319

Address: P.O. Box 1083
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri);
Marriage licenses 9:00 - 4:00pm

Services: Conservatorships and guardianships; civil commitment (alcohol, drug and mental); issuance of marriage licenses; decedents' estates; trusts.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort County School District

Telephone: (843) 322-2300
(843) 322-2333 info line

Fax: (843) 322-2371

E-Mail: info@beaufort.k12.sc.us

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 309
Beaufort, SC 29901

Services: Education to Beaufort County students: 15 elementary schools, 6 middle, 3 high, 1 vocational, 3 alternative programs; adult education and special needs programs.

Eligibility: School age or adult education interest

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort County Sheriff's Office – Special Operations Branch

Contact: Captain Mendoza

Telephone: (843) 470-3207

Website: www.bcs0.net

Fax: (843) 470-3209

Address: P.O. Box 1758
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Special Operations Branch offers School Resource Officer's Program, Diversion Programs (SMART & FRESH START), DAPP for children (Domestic Abuse Prevention Program), GREAT (Gang Resistance Education and Training), Educational programs for parents, educators, and community organizations, and drug awareness training for school age children.

Beaufort County Sheriff's Office – Security Branch

Contact: Sgt. Jennings

Telephone: (843) 470-3287

Services: Work with citizens and organizations on security, safety and quality of life.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort County Veterans Affairs

Contact: Edward Ray

Telephone: (843) 470-4740

Website: www.bcgov.net

Address: P.O. Drawer 1228
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Advocate; compensation for service related disability; pension for financial aid; education; burial; home loans; insurance.

Eligibility: Veteran, active service, wife, children and surviving spouse

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort Housing Authority

Contact: Ed Boyd, Dir., Angela Childers
or Ella Williams

Telephone: (843) 525-7059

Address: P.O. Box 1104
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Housing provided to those that are in need, who meet eligibility guidelines. Section 8 housing also available, call (843) 525-7075.

Eligibility: Eligibility determined on case by case basis. Must have picture ID, Birth certificate, Social Security card, marriage license, and proof of income.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort Jasper Economic Opportunity Commission - Beaufort

Contact: Leroy Gilliard
E-Mail: beaufortjaspereoc@hotmail.com

Telephone: (843) 470-4500
Fax: (843) 470-4510

Address: P.O. Drawer 9
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Direct assistance with utilities (electric, water, LP gas); emergency heating/cooling; housing rehabilitation; prescription medication assistance, rental assistance, emergency assistance with food; Youth Leadership program; child and adult care food program.

Eligibility: Poverty income guidelines; must be employed

Area Served: Beaufort Jasper County

Beaufort Jasper Economic Opportunity Commission - Jasper

Contact: Sierra Beale
E-Mail: beaufortjaspereoc@yahoo.com

Telephone: (843) 726-5586

Address: 1506 Grays Hwy Suite D
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Low income energy assistance program; general emergency assistance; housing preservation grants; senior farmers market program; youth leadership, child and adult care food program.

Eligibility: Poverty income guideline

BJEOC - Headstart Program

Contact: Myrna Bolden
E-Mail: bjhseoc@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 470-4512
Fax: (843) 470-4503

Address: P.O. Box 2296
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:00 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Educational, social and health programs for children ages 3-5. Pre-school education and services to children with disabilities.

Eligibility: Low income families and handicapped.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Beaufort Jasper Hampton Comprehensive Health Services, Inc.

Contact: Roland J. Gardner
Website: www.bjhchs.com

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Locations: There are clinic locations in the following areas: Chelsea (987-7400); Sheldon (846-2086); St. Helena (838-2086; Beaufort (986-0900); Hardeeville (784-2181); Ridgeland (726-3939); Hampton (943-2233); and Estill (625-2548)

Services: Health care for all ages such as OB/GYN, Family medicine, Dental, and Pharmacy services; Septic tank installation program.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

Beaufort Jasper Water and Sewer Authority

Contact: Paula Zeigler
Website: www.bjwsa.org

Telephone: (843) 987-9200
Fax: (843) 987-9203

Address: 6 Snake Road
Okatie, SC 29909

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Wholesale and retail water and sewer services.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Beaufort Marine Institute

Contact: Amy Nevills
Fax: (843) 846-4147

Telephone: (843) 846-2128

Address: 60 Honeybee Island Road
Seabrook, SC 29940

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: Alternative education for juvenile offenders.

Eligibility: Court order by DJJ

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Beaufort Memorial Hospital - Main

Contact: Ann Mecherle, Executive Assistant
Website: www.bmhsc.org

Telephone: (843) 522-5200

Address: 955 Ribaut Road
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 24 hours/7 days a week

Services: BMH is a 197-bed acute care hospital. It is the only not-for-profit hospital located between Savannah, GA and Charleston, SC. Services include: Medical/surgical, emergency care, orthopedics, oncology, cardiology, general surgery, vascular surgery, imaging, rehabilitation, wellness and preventive health services, birthing services, and adult inpatient mental health.

Eligibility: Doctor referral; Emergency care for all.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, and surrounding counties

Beaufort Memorial Hospital - Adult Mental Health Program

Contact: Susan South, RN
Website: www.bmhsc.org (under services)

Telephone: (843) 522-5269

Address: 955 Ribaut Road
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 24 hours/7 days a week

Services: A 14-bed inpatient unit provides adult psychiatric services. Free physician supervised psychiatric assessment available 24 hours a day. Referral coordination to appropriate community services. Outpatient psych services provided through Beaufort Memorial Sea Island Psychiatry / J. Wiley Dickerson, MD.

Beaufort Memorial Hospital - Diabetes Care Center

Contact: Drew Winslow
Website: www.bmhsc.org (go to services)

Telephone: (843) 522-5560
Fax: (843) 522-5369

Address: Beaufort Medical Plaza
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Comprehensive approach to prevention and treatment of Diabetes. Registered nurses and dietician on staff. All staff are certified Diabetes educators.

Eligibility: Doctor Referral

Beaufort Memorial Hospital - Healthlink for Children

Contact: Elizabeth Snyder, OT
Website: www.bmhsc.org

Telephone: (843) 522-5900

Address: 1100 Ribaut Road
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 7:00am - 6:00pm

Services: Pediatric rehabilitation, physical and occupational therapy, speech/language pathology, social services, and case management.

Eligibility: Doctor Referral

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, and surrounding counties

Beaufort Memorial Hospital - Keyserling Cancer Center

Contact: Connie Duke, RN
Website: www.bmhsc.org

Telephone: (843) 522-7800

Address: 1680 Ribaut Road
Port Royal, SC 29935

Office Hours: 8:00 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Affiliated with Duke University Health System and offering a full range of cancer services including radiation therapy, chemotherapy, hematology, cancer registry, clinical trials, infusion center, nutrition services and community resource library.

Eligibility: Doctor Referral

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, and surrounding counties

Beaufort Memorial Hospital - Lowcountry Community Blood Center

Telephone: (843) 522-5433
Website: www.bmhsc.org

E-Mail: bgray@bmhsc.org

Address: 1055 Ribaut Road
Beaufort, SC 29902

Services: Community Blood Center and sole provider of blood for Beaufort Memorial Hospital.

Eligibility: Eligible donors are at least 17 years old and weigh at least 110 pounds.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, and surrounding counties

Beaufort Memorial Hospital - Rehabilitation Services

Contact: Laurie Martin
E-Mail: www.bmhsc.org

Telephone: (843) 522-5630
Fax: (843) 522-5960

Address: 989 Ribaut Road, #330
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Adult rehabilitative services such as physical, occupational and speech therapy.

Eligibility: General public
Area Served: Beaufort County

Beaufort Women's Center

Contact: Donna McClean
E-Mail: bwc@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 525-0300
Fax: (843) 379-0339

Address: P.O. Box 1483
Beaufort, SC 29901-1483

Physical : 25 B Marsh Ellen Drive;
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 10:00 - 3:30pm - **Crisis calls anytime**

Services: Free pregnancy test, confidential counseling, adoption referral, maternity home referral, material supplies available, support groups, family budget counseling.

Eligibility: General Public
Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Beaufort/Jasper Academy for Career Excellence (ACE)

Contact: Dr. Katherine Smith
E-Mail: bjace.org

Telephone: (843) 987-8107
Fax: (843) 987-4136

Address: 80 Lowcountry Drive
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 7:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Occupational training; adult education evening classes.

Eligibility: Any student enrolled in a public or private secondary school.
Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Black Chamber of Commerce

Contact: Larry Holman
E-Mail: president@bcbcc.org
Website: www.bcbcc.org

Telephone: (843) 986-1102
Fax: (843) 379-8027

Address: P.O. Box 754
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 10:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Promote minority and small businesses.
Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

Blueprint for Change

Contact: Julie Tabor
E-Mail: julieblue@charter.net
Website: www.blueprintforchange.com

Telephone: (843) 524-6112
Fax: (843) 524-6111

Address: 1110 - Suite A Paris Avenue
Port Royal, SC 29935

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri);
evenings and Saturdays by appt.

Services: Outpatient psychiatric and chemical dependency counseling; assessment, individual and group therapy, medication management, psycho-therapy, professional interventions, drug screenings, Life Coaching.

Eligibility: Child, adolescents, and adults.
Area Served: Beaufort County

Bluffton Self Help, Inc.

Contact: Jenny Haney
E-Mail: blfselfhelp@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 757-8000
Fax: (843) 757-8000

Address: P.O. Box 2420
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: 10:00 - 4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Emergency financial assistance to families/individuals who are in a crisis situation with past due rents and utility bills, medications, budgeting classes, children's needs and other requests are on a case-by-case basis. Free donated clothes and food.

Eligibility: For financial assistance, must be a resident of the greater Bluffton area. All other needs, such as food and clothing, are assessed on a case-by-case basis.

Area Served: Greater Bluffton Area

Born to Read

Contact: Chris Taggart
E-Mail: borntoread@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 379-3350

Address: 2266 Boundary St., Ste 202
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: Varies

Services: New parents are given a gift bag w/ book and advice on the importance of reading to your child starting in infancy; participants are mailed quarterly newsletters about language development during baby's first year. If requested by parents, referrals are provided for obtaining a GED, attending English classes for non-English speaking parents, and help in selecting a pediatrician for their family.

Eligibility: New parents at BMH or HHRMC

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

Boy Scouts - Coastal Carolina Council

Contact: Bill Givler
E-Mail: bgivler@bsamail.org
Website: www.coastalcarolinabsa.org

Telephone: (843) 763-0305
Fax: (843) 763-0624

Address: 1025 Sam Rittenberg Blvd.
Charleston, SC 29407

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Youth services including mentoring, leadership, training, values education, and drug abuse prevention.

Eligibility: Boys 6-20, Girls 14-20 (Exploring Coed) Cub Scouts: 1st - 5th grades; Boy Scouts: 11-18)

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, and Colleton Counties

Boys & Girls Clubs of the Lowcountry

Corporate Office

Contact: Ms. Jean Washington
E-Mail: boysandgirlscor@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 575-5430
Fax: (843) 575-5431

Address: 17B Marshellen Drive
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: Varies

Services: The Boys & Girls Clubs of the Lowcountry is comprised of 10 Clubs within 5 counties (Allendale, Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton and Jasper) and has served youth in these communities for 20 years. The Clubs provide programs for more than 3500 boys and girls in the areas of drug and alcohol prevention, delinquency intervention, health and fitness, career exploration and educational enhancement. For more information on the Clubs, contact (843) 575-5430.

Allendale – Allendale/Fairfax Middle School

Telephone: 803-942-4355
Address: 3581 Allendale-Fairfax Hwy
(Allendale-Fairfax Middle)
Fairfax, SC 29827

Beaufort Location

Telephone: (843) 986-5437
Fax: (843) 986-0280
Address: 1100 Boundary Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Beaufort Teen Center

Telephone: (843) 379-6350
Address: 1211 Harrington Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Bluffton Location

Telephone: (843) 757-2845
Fax: (843) 757-2846
Address: 100 H.E. McCracken Circle
Bluffton, SC 29910

Coosa/Lady's Island – Coosa Elem. School

Telephone: (843) 322-6159
Address: 45 Middle Road
Beaufort, SC 29907

Hampton – Estill Middle School

Telephone: (803) 625-2355
Fax: (803) 625-3588
Address: 555 3rd Street West
Estill, SC 29925

Hilton Head – Batten Family Club

Telephone: (843) 689-3646, (843) 689-5565 (club #)
Fax: (843) 689-2618
Address: 151 Gumtree Road
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925

Jasper – Ridgeland Elem. School

Telephone: 843-717-2440, 717-2440
Fax: 717-1499
Address: 3774 Bees Creek Rd.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Sheldon – Agnes A. Major Center

Telephone: (843) 846-9911
Fax: (843) 846-9411
Address: Agnes A. Major Center
21 Agnes Major Road
Sheldon, SC 29940

Walterboro – Colleton Middle School

Telephone: (843) 549-2690
Address: Colleton Middle School
603 Colleton Loop
Walterboro, SC 29488

Care Line - DHEC

Contact: Tracy McCloud

Telephone: 1-800-868-0404

Services: Information, education and referral for women and their families.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Care One Home Health

Contact: Jodie Grubb

Telephone: (843) 815-8088

Fax: (843) 815-8090

Address: 23 Plantation Park Dr. Ste 503
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Home health care, physical therapy, occupational therapy, medical social worker and home health aides.

Eligibility: Doctor's order

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

Caring Touch

Contact: Barbara Hancock

Telephone: (843) 689-8246

Address: 25 Hospital Blvd.
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925

Office Hours: 9:00 - 3:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Assistance with prescription medicines.

Eligibility: Must be a patient at Hilton Head Island Hospital, a patient of a doctor at HH Medical Center, or a patient of Volunteers in Medicine.

Area Served: Beaufort

Child Abuse Prevention Association (CAPA)

Contact: Susan F. Cato
E-Mail: capa714@earthlink.net
Website: www.islc.net/capa

Telephone: (843)524-4350
Fax: (843) 525-0070

Address: P.O. Box 531
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)
Shelter open 24/7

Services: Open Arms Shelter for abused and neglected children ages 0-21 yrs. Outreach preventions such as character development, anti-bullying programs, anger management programs for children, child abuse awareness, "good touch, bad touch" programs, teen pregnancy prevention programs, and parenting groups.

Eligibility: For shelter, children must be in DSS custody; otherwise, General Public.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, Colleton and Allendale Counties

CAPA's Closet - Thrift Store

Contact: Rena Ellis

Telephone: (843) 524-0281
Fax: (843) 524-7737

Address: 860 Midtown Plaza
Parris Island Gateway
Port Royal, SC 29906

Office Hours: 10:00 - 5:30pm (Mon-Fri);
Sat. 10:00 - 3:00pm

Services: Thrift shop. All proceeds benefit the Child Abuse Prevention Association (CAPA)

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, Colleton and Allendale Counties

Children's Center, Inc. - Bluffton Location

Contact: Jan Smith, Executive Director
E-Mail: jansmith@thechildrenscentersc.org

Telephone: (843) 757-5549
Fax: (843) 757-4559

Address: 2-B Bridge Street
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: 6:00 - 6:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Early Childhood education and childcare services at a sliding fee scale.

Eligibility: Ages 6 weeks to 8 years

Area Served: Beaufort County

Children's Center, Inc. - Hilton Head Location

Contact: Jan Smith, Executive Director

Telephone: (843) 681-2739

Fax: (843) 681-3875

Address: 145 Mathews Dr.
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 6:00 - 6:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Early Childhood education and childcare services at a sliding fee scale.

Eligibility: Ages 6 weeks to 8 years

Area Served: Beaufort County

Children's Relief Fund

Contact: Rose Fotia

Telephone: (843) 681-7668

E-Mail: childrensrelief@hargray.com

Address: P.O. Box 22574
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925

Office Hours: varies

Services: Provides financial assistance for physical, occupational and speech therapies, as well as specialized equipment. (must reside in Bluffton/Hilton Head area for direct assistance). This organization also sponsors group activities such as Heroes on Horseback and the Special Olympics.

Eligibility: Mental and/or physically disabled children from 0-21 years old.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Christ Central Mission

Contact: Eric Newsley

Telephone: (843) 726-9311

E-Mail: www.christcentral.info

Address: P.O. Box 311
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 11754 N. Jacobsmart Blv.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Homeless shelter and transitional housing for men; \$90 a week once employment is obtained.

Eligibility: Homeless

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Surrounding Counties

Christian Renewal Church - Valley Gate Ministries

Contact: Marc Reilley or Marc Beaman

Telephone: (843) 342-5433

Address: 95 Gardner Drive
Hilton Head Island, SC

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Provides free meals every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month from 6:00 – 8:00pm and a bag of groceries.

Eligibility: Standard information required

Area Served: Hilton Head Island

Church Mouse

Contact: Paul Eitez or Bill Phillips

Telephone: (843) 785-2322, (843) 686-3290

E-Mail: phillipskb@aol.com

Address: St. Luke's Church
50 Pope Avenue
Hilton Head Island, SC 29928

Services: Loans out medical equipment to those in need.

Area Served: Bluffton/Hilton Head

Church of the Cross - Food Bank

Contact: Sheila

Telephone: (843) 757-2661

Website: www.thechurchofthecross.net

Address: 110 Calhoun Street
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: Tues. Mornings from 9:30 - 11:00am

Services: Provides free groceries (meats, breads, fruits, and canned goods) to those in need. Amount depends on family size.

Eligibility: Anyone in need of food

Area Served: Beaufort County

Citizens Opposed to Domestic Abuse (CODA)

Telephone: (843) 770-1074 Admin.; (843) 770-1070 Crisis line, 1-800-868-2632

E-Mail: coda@islc.net

Fax: (843) 770-1084

Address: P.O. Box 1775
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: 24-hour hotline, safe shelter for victims of domestic violence, information and referral, legal representation and court advocacy, case management; individual and group counseling, children's services, Batterer's Program, community education, and volunteer program.

Eligibility: Victim of domestic abuse

Area Served: Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton and Jasper Counties

Clemson University Cooperative Extension Services - Beaufort

Telephone: (843) 470-3656

Office Hours: 8:00-4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 189
Beaufort, SC 29901

Physical: 102 Industrial Village Road
Beaufort, SC 29906

Services: Extension services in agriculture and family and consumer sciences. Experts in field of agriculture, economics, community resource development, agricultural engineering, animal science, dairy science, food science, entomology, horticulture, plant pathology and poultry science.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort County

Clemson University Cooperative Extension Services - Jasper

Telephone: (843) 726-3461

Fax: (843) 726-3768

E-Mail: cojspr@clemson.edu

Office Hours: 8:00-4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O.Box 1089
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 1506 Grays Hwy. Suite E
Ridgeland, Sc 29936

Services: Extension services in agriculture and family and consumer sciences. Experts in field of agriculture, economics, community resource development, agricultural engineering, animal science, dairy science, food science, entomology, horticulture, plant pathology and poultry science.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Jasper County

Coastal Carolina Medical Center

Telephone: (843) 784-8000

Fax: (843) 784-8001

E-Mail or Website: www.ccmc-cares.com

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Address: 1000 Medical Center Drive
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Services: Coastal Carolina Medical Center is a 41-bed hospital located at the intersection of Interstate 95 and Highway 278 in Hardeeville, S. C. The hospital has been serving the medical and health care needs of Jasper and Beaufort counties since November 2004. The hospital provides access to acute care services including intensive care, diagnostic imaging and laboratory services, inpatient and outpatient surgical services, and physical and occupational rehabilitation. The hospital also features an inpatient rehabilitation center, a hyperbaric/wound treatment center and a 24-hour emergency department. Coastal Carolina Medical Center is accredited by The Joint Commission, the nation's largest hospital accreditation agency. To learn more about Coastal Carolina Medical Center, visit the website.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and surrounding counties.

Cost: Varies. Accepts most major health insurance.

Coastal Connections

Contact: Kevin Kowal, President

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Website: www.mycoastalconnections.com

Services: Offers temporary and permanent solutions to employment needs. Supplies the workforce with individuals to work in the following areas: Industrial, Administrative/Clerical, Hospitality/Banquet, Landscaping/Maintenance. Also provides transportation from office to job site.

Eligibility: General Public. Must be able to fill out application (Spanish applications available) and must be able to pass a drug test.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Beaufort Location

Telephone: (843) 379-8099

Fax: (843) 379-0277

Address:

1100 Carteret St.
Beaufort, SC 29902

Hardeeville Location

Telephone: (843) 784-2949

Fax: (843) 784-3149

Address:

18822 Whyte Hardee Blvd.
Suite 2B
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Hilton Head Location

Telephone: (843) 681-8099

Fax: (843) 681-5870

Address:

1 Mathews Pointe
Suite 115
Hilton Head, SC 29926

Coastal Empire Community Mental Health Center

Website: www.cecmmc.org

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm Mon – Fri. / **24 hour emergency phone number 1-800-922-7844**

Services: Outpatient mental health services for chronically mentally ill adults and mental health services to children, adolescents, and members of their families.

Eligibility: Anyone for screening or assessment for a mental health problem.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, Colleton, and Allendale Counties

Beaufort Location

Telephone: (843) 525-3378

Fax: (843) 524-8179

Address:

1050 Ribaut Road
Beaufort, SC, 29902

Hilton Head Location

Telephone: (843) 681-4865

Fax: (843) 689-6267

Address:

151 Dillon Road
Hilton Head, SC 29925

Jasper Location

Telephone: (843) 726-8030

Fax: (843) 726-8207

Address:

1510 Grays Hwy,
Ridgeland, SC, 29936

Collaborative Organization of Services For Youth (COSY)

Contact: Fred Leyda

E-Mail: STCSP@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 322-5414

Fax: (843) 322-5443

Address: P.O. Drawer 1228
Beaufort, SC 29901

Services: Therapeutic treatment plan coordination for Youth service agencies serving Beaufort County.

Eligibility: Any Beaufort County resident, birth to 21, referred by any state agency.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Comfort Keepers

Contact: Bob Norwood

E-Mail: bob_norwood@hargray.com

Website: www.comfortkeepers.com

Telephone: (843) 757-7731

Fax: (843) 757-7741

Address: P.O. Box 1019
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: In home nonmedical care, primarily for seniors, such as cooking, shopping, bathing, meal preparation, light housekeeping, errand services, transportation, laundry, and personal care services.

Eligibility: Private pay only.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

Commun-I-Care, Inc.

Telephone: (803) 933-9183; 1-800-763-0059
Website: www.communicare.us

Fax: (803) 254-0892
Office Hours: 9:00-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 186
Columbia, SC 29202-0186

Services: Donated medicines at no charge to those individuals who meet the eligibility criteria.

Eligibility: Must have household income, but near poverty limits. This program is for individuals who are not insured and cannot obtain health insurance. Those receiving Medicare, Medicaid or VA benefits are not eligible.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Community Health Improvement Program (CHIP)

Contact: Jason Meyer
Website: www.bmhsc.org ; under services

Telephone: (843) 522-5568
Fax: (843) 522-5989

Address: 955 Ribaut Road
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Mobile Wellness Unit (CHIP) provides health screening services such as blood pressure and glucose checks, Lipid and cholesterol checks, and clinical breast exams and prostate exams can be conducted if the nurse practitioner is requested at time of scheduling.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Community Long Term Care

Contact: Anne Bennett

Telephone: (843) 726-5353
Fax: (843) 726-5113

Address: P.O. Box 2065
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Personal care services, home delivered meals, adult day health care and respite services. Program is for the elderly, disabled, ventilator-dependent, and HIV/AIDS.

Eligibility: Current Medicaid recipient; must need nursing home level -of-care.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Consumer Credit Counseling Services

Telephone: (912) 691-2227; 1-800-821-4040

Website: www.cccssavannah.org

Fax: (912) 691-2290

Office Hours: 9:00-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: 7505 Waters Avenue, Park South

Suite C11

Savannah, GA 31406

Services: Confidentially assists people to set up a practical budget, determine the amount of money available to go towards debt repayment, and develop repayment plans with their creditors; Offers budgeting and money management seminars free of charge and free First Time Home Buying Programs.

Counseling Center - St. Andrews By-The-Sea

Contact: Ginny Clay

E-Mail: www.hhiumc.com

Telephone: Hilton Head: (843) 785-4711;

Confidential Voicemail (843) 341-3029

Address: United Methodist Church

20 Pope Avenue

Hilton Head Island, SC 29928

Office Hours: Mon. - Weds. by appt.

Services: The St. Andrew By-The-Sea Counseling Center is available for 50-minute sessions by appointment Monday through Wednesday. Resident Counselor Virginia N. Clay provides counseling for children, adolescents, individuals and couples in the caring environment of the church.

Eligibility: Anyone in need of counseling.

Area Served: Hilton Head Island

Crisis Ministries

Telephone: (843) 723-9477

Website: www.charlestonhomeless.org

Fax: (843) 723-7563

Address: 573 Meeting Street

Charleston, SC 29403

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: Homeless shelter provides residents with 3 meals a day, access to mental health professionals, case management, legal services, referrals to other agencies, substance abuse counseling, and employment services. Must be able to find transportation to the shelter (#10 and #1 buses drop off on Meeting street).

Eligibility: Anyone who is homeless and needs crisis assistance.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Disabled Children's Relief Fund

Website: www.dcrf.com

Address: P.O. Box 89
Freeport, New York 11520

Services: Provides disabled children with assistance to obtain needed equipment. DCRF focuses special attention on helping children throughout the U.S. that do not have adequate health insurance. DCRF grant applications may be used for modest awards for assistive devices, rehab services, arts and humanities projects, or for the efforts to bolster compliance with existing laws for the benefits of children with disabilities. Applications may be submitted by families for an individual child, or by a non-profit org. for a small group of children. Applications are available between April and September.

Eligibility: Physically challenged children

Area Served: National

Deep Well Project

Contact: Betsy Doughtie

Telephone: (843) 785-2849

Address: P.O. Box 5543
Hilton Head, SC, 29938

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Emergency social services such as assistance with rent, utilities, food, medicine and furniture. Provides interest free loans for septic systems and home repairs. Other needs considered on a case by case basis.

Eligibility: Anyone in need

Area Served: Hilton Head

Diabetes Initiative of South Carolina

Contact: Julie Benke
E-Mail: benkej@musc.edu

Telephone: (843) 876-0968
Fax: (843) 876-0998

Address: P.O. Box 250565, Room 273
Rutledge Towers
Charleston, SC 29403

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Improve knowledge of diabetes; reduce morbidity and mortality rates; prevent hospital admissions, improve statistical data.

Eligibility: Anyone with diabetes or wishing to learn more about diabetes.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

DNA Diagnostics Center

Telephone: Toll Free: 1-800-362-2368 Ext. 614

Address: 205 Corporate Court
Fairfield, Ohio, 45014

Services: Help people identify biological children, parents or grandparents, siblings and reconstructive DNA.

Eligibility: Apply by telephone

Area Served: South Carolina

Earle E. Morris Alcohol/Drug Addiction Treatment Center

Telephone: (803) 935-7103, (803) 935-7100

Website: www.state.sc.us/dmh/morris_vilage

Address: 610 Faison Drive
Columbia, SC 29903

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: 160-bed inpatient treatment facility for alcohol and other drug addictions.

Eligibility: Any state resident meeting diagnostic criteria for substance dependency and appropriate for admission (Patients screened).

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Easter Seals - South Carolina

Contact: Tina Cooper

Website: www.eastersealssc.org

Telephone: 1-800-951-4090; (803) 466-4099

Fax: (803) 396-2606

Address: P.O. Box 5715
Columbia, SC 29250

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Provides services to children with disabilities and support to their families through early intervention programs, parent education, service coordination, and school based pediatric therapy such as physical, occupational and speech.

Eligibility: Serving children with disabilities

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Emergency Management - Beaufort County

Contact: William Winn, Jr.

E-Mail: emd@bcgov.net

Fax: (843) 470-3054

Telephone: (843) 470-3100/

after hours contact non emergency line
at (843) 524-2777

Address: P.O. Drawer 1228
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Disaster preparedness and hazmat responses; 911 addressing and communications; Traffic management center. Duty officer on call 24 hours.

Eligibility: Reside within Beaufort County.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Emergency Services - Jasper County

Contact: Thomas E. Watson

E-Mail: twatson@jaspercountysc.gov

Telephone: (843) 726-7607

Fax: (843) 726-5198

Address: P.O.Box 1509
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 1509 Grays Hwy
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Disaster preparedness.

Eligibility: Resident of Jasper County

Area Served: Jasper County

Emergency Shelter after Dark

Telephone: (843) 524-2777
non-emergency dispatch line

Office Hours: Anytime after 4pm, including weekends

Address: 2505 North Street
Beaufort, SC, 29902

Services: Call to gain assistance for shelter after dark for individuals who are homeless. The police will call the Salvation Army contact numbers to set up emergency housing.

Eligibility: Anyone who is homeless in Beaufort County

Area Served: Beaufort County

Epilepsy Foundation of South Carolina

E-Mail: epilepsysc@epilepsysc.org

Website: www.epilepsisc.org

Telephone: (803) 798-8502

Fax: (803) 798-8591

Address: 652 Bush River Road, Suite 211
Columbia, SC 29210

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Education and public awareness, school alert, newsletters, self-help workshops, referral services, advocacy services, family counseling, films, speakers and residential summer camp for children ages 7-14 who have epilepsy.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Epworth Children's Home

Contact: Debra Keller, intake coordinator

Website: www.epworthchildrenshome.org

Telephone: (803) 256-7349

Fax: (803) 212-4798

Address: P.O. Box 50466
Columbia, SC 29250-0455

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri);
closed 12:00 - 1:00pm for lunch

Services: Group residential child care; parent and family training.

Eligibility: Children ages 4-18 who are experiencing mild behavioral and/or emotional issues.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Family Connection of South Carolina, Inc.

Telephone: 1-800- 578-8750

Website: www.familyconnectionsc.org

Fax: (803) 799-8017

Address: 2712 Middleburn Drive Ste 103B
Columbia, SC 29204

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Strengthens families who have children with developmental delays, disabilities, or chronic illnesses through a parent to parent network of family focused support to provide assistance, information, community awareness and enhance parent/professional relationships.

Eligibility: Any parent with a child who has developmental delays, disabilities, or chronic illness.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Family, Adult & Children's Educational Services (F.A.C.E.S.)

Contact: Kay Newsome

Website: www.beaufort.school.net.com

Telephone: (843) 521-2399

Fax: (843) 770-7733

Address: P.O. Drawer 309
Beaufort, SC 29901-0309

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Parent education/family literacy. Family Education Centers with adult literacy, child assessments, interagency collaboration, case management to the parents of young children. Parents As Teachers home visitation program.

Eligibility: All children and their families; target group: parents of children from birth to 6 years

Area Served: Beaufort County

Family Services, Inc.

Telephone: 1-800-232-6489

Website: www.familyserviceschassc.com

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: 4925 Lacross Road Ste. 215
North Charleston, SC 29406

Services: Provides financial management/ protection of assets (most are appointed through probate court); Manages day-to-day financial obligations for individuals who are on a fixed income; Promotes home ownership for low and moderate income housing which includes first time buyers workshops, credit analysis, reverse mortgage counseling, and default counseling; Behavioral health services and Employee Assistance Programs.

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Florence Crittenton Programs of S.C.

Contact: Connie Hodo

E-Mail: flocrit@bellsouth.net

Website: www.florencecrittentonsc.org

Telephone: (843) 722-7526

Fax: (843) 577-0770

Address: 19 St. Margaret Street
Charleston, SC 29403

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Residential program for single pregnant women and teens; includes medical, educational, and counseling services

Eligibility: all single pregnant women and teens from across South Carolina

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Franciscan Center

Contact: Sister Sheila Byrne, OSF
E-Mail: www.franctr@islc.net

Telephone: (843) 838-3924
Fax: (843) 838-2152

Address: P.O. Box 682
St. Helena Island, SC 29920

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Food, emergency financial assistance for utility bills and prescriptions.

Eligibility: People in need, especially poor, elderly, and families with children

Area Served: Beaufort County - North of the Broad River

Francois Community House

Contact: Leslie Mack Or Julia Buckner
E-Mail: slassai1@charter.net

Telephone: (843) 846-1579
Fax: (843) 846-1595

Address: 99 Possum Hill
Beaufort, SC 29906

Office Hours: 9:00 - 3:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Adult health daycare service to provide relief to the primary care giver. This program provides daily meals and snacks, activities, and has extended hours to serve your needs.

Eligibility: Must have referrral from a doctor, DSS, or Community Long Term Care.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

Friends of Caroline Hospice

Contact: Beverley Porter, Executive Director
Website: www.carolinehospice.org

Telephone: (843) 525-6257
Fax: (843) 525-9418

Address: 1110 13th Street
Port Royal, SC 29935

Office Hours: 9:00 - 4:00 (Mon-Fri);
Sat. and Sun. telephone support

Services: Provides home care to those who live with a life-threatening illness; Support for families and friends; RN's coordinate patient care; Personal care assistants provide physical assistance and supportive services and patient volunteers provide trained/loving support. Also provides Cancer Support Groups, Adult Bereavement Group, Caregiver Sessions and a Bereavement Support Team for children works with the school system. A Lending Closet provides equipment and supplies to patients. A Speaker's Bureau gives presentations to the community and a Spanish translator is available.

Eligibility: Anyone with a life-threatening illness

Area Served: Beaufort County

Friends with Wheels

Contact: Catherine and Charles Cherrix

Telephone: (843) 681-2580 - Joan;
(843) 689-3651 - George

Address: All Saints Episcopal Church
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 9:00 - 12:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Riders picked up on Hilton Head only.

Eligibility: must be on Hilton Head Island for pick-up; must provide at least 24 hours advanced notice.

Area Served: Bluffton area and Hilton Head Island

Gamblers Anonymous

Telephone: 1-800-313-0170

Office Hours: Thursday night 6:00 - 7:30pm

Website: www.gamblersanonymous.com

Address: 975 William Hilton Pkwy. (Central Church)
Hilton Head Island, SC

Services: Support group for those facing gambling addictions.

Eligibility: Anyone with a gambling addiction

Area Served: Beaufort County

Girl Scouts of Eastern South Carolina

Telephone: (843) 842-3444

Website: www.girlscoutseasc.org

Address: P.O. Box 7503
Hilton Head Island, SC 29928

Services: Building girls of courage, confidence, and character

Eligibility: Girls 5-17 and adults

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

GlaxoSmithKline

Telephone: (843)681-9938; Toll Free 1-800-366-8900

Services: Patient education, health care provider information, samples, free drugs for low income patients.

Area Served: Savannah, GA

Grace House

Contact: Kenneth Glover

Telephone: (912) 236-7423

Website: www.unionmission.org

Address: 120 Fahm Street
Savannah, GA 31401
(across from Greyhound Bus St.)

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm; if resident-24hours

Services: 50 emergency shelter beds, 3 - 6 months limit; opens at 8:00am and closes at 5:00 p.m. if not a resident. Beyond Grace - 22 bed transitional housing for men in recovery.

Eligibility: Homeless man

Area Served: Savannah and surrounding counties

Greyhound Bus Station - Beaufort

Telephone: (843) 524-4646

Website: www.greyhound.com

Address: 3659 Trask Pkwy
Beaufort, SC 29906

Bus Schedules and Prices (as of 8/13/07)

Beaufort to Savanna: Mon-Thurs. \$14.00; Fri-Sun: \$15.50. Schedule as follows: leaves 3:55 am, arrives 4:50am, leaves 1:50 pm, arrives 2:45 pm, leaves 8:30 pm, arrives 9:25 pm

Beaufort to Charleston: Mon-Thurs. \$27.50; Fri-Sun. \$29.50. Schedule as follows: leaves 3:55am, arrives 7:45am

Greater Beaufort Chamber of Commerce

Contact: Carlota Ungaro, President & CEO
Website: www.beaufortsc.org

Telephone: (843) 524-3163
Fax: (843) 986-5405

Address: P.O. Box 910
Beaufort, SC 29901-0910

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm; Visitors Center open
Mon - Sun 9:00 - 5:30pm

Services: Business meetings and programs, Business After Hours, Leadership programs, business excellence awards, economic forecasts, business advocacy at local, state and federal levels. Application at Chamber office or phone.

Eligibility: Any person, firm, corporation or association supportive of a healthy business environment.
Area Served: Beaufort County

Greater Pentecostal Temple

Contact: Sandra Baldwin
Email: gptemple@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 784-6988
Fax: (843) 784-5962

Address: 5905 S. Okatie Highway
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Provides some financial assistance for emergency needs. Food bank is open Monday - Friday from 12:00pm - 2:00pm.

Eligibility: All are welcome
Area Served: Jasper County

Guardian Ad Litem Program

Contact: Tricia Gravel, Circuit Coordinator
E-Mail: galbeaufort@oepp.sc.gove

Telephone: (843) 525-0779
Fax: (843) 522-8937

Address: P.O. Box 1937
Beaufort, SC 29901-1937

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Train volunteers to do independent investigation and make written and oral reports to the Family Court regarding what is in the child's best interest during the child abuse and neglect case.

Eligibility: Must have good references and ability to deal effectively with children and adults.
Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Gullah Church Nurses Association

Contact: Ms. Simmons-White, RN
E-Mail: Sstarswhite@aol.com

Telephone: (843) 838-5826

Address: P.O. Box 113
St. Helena Island, SC 29920

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Provides basic life support certification, conducts workshops in health education on diabetes, nutrition, HIV/AIDS, Hypertension, breast cancer and other health relation subjects.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Hanger Prosthetics & Orthotics, Inc.

Contact: Scott Webb
Website: www.hanger.com

Telephone: (843) 986-9117
Fax: (843) 986-0813

Address: 1955 Ribaut Rd. #28
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:00 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Measure, fabricate and fit prosthetics and orthotics.

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, and Colleton Counties

Hardeeville Community Library

Contact: Lynda Caddell, Branch Mgr.
E-Mail: Lyndacaddell@yahoo.com

Telephone: (843) 784-3426
Fax: (843) 784-5277

Address: P.O.Box 1837
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Physical: 37 Main Street
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Office Hours: 10:30 - 5:30pm

Services: Information services and circulation of books and periodicals. Internet access.

Eligibility: Must be 6 years old; proof of local address

Area Served: Allendale, Hampton and Jasper Counties.

Hardeeville Medical Center

Telephone: (843) 784-2181

Fax: (843) 784-6112

Address: 552 Stiney Road
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Offers Medical (Mon. - Fri.), Dental (Fri. only), Nutritional (1st and 3rd Wed of the month), and Gynecological (Weds. only) services to the public.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

Hardeeville Thrift Shop, Inc.

Contact: Sister Mary Gallagher
E-Mail: galmare31@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 784-3157

Address: 12 Coastal Hwy., 17 South
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Office Hours: Tues./Weds./Thurs./Sat. open 10:00 - 3:00pm; Fri. 2:00 - 7:00pm.

Services: Thrift store offers used clothing, furniture, appliances, household goods. For a donation pick-up, contact the store for details. Food distribution every Weds. And Sat. from 10:00 - 1:30pm. Help with burn-out victims, provide donations to education programs, and help with prescription medications.

Eligibility: Anyone in need

Area Served: Anyone in need

Help A Person In Need (St. Francis By The Sea)

Contact: Ann Cromwell
E-Mail: macthefan@aol.com

Telephone: (843) 681-6350 Ext. 255, (843) 689-5502
Fax: (843) 681-8959

Address: 45 Beach City Road
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Provides home cooked frozen meals to disabled, homebound persons. Also, provides food to those people who are in need. Call to register, assessment completed upon first delivery.

Eligibility: Disabled, homebound; provides food to people in need.

Area Served: Hilton Head and Bluffton

Help Mobile Meals

Contact: Beth Wallace Moon
E-Mail: bethmoon@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 812-1718

Address: 121 Prescott Ct.
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Provides healthy, well-balanced meals to people who are unable to provide for themselves (elderly, recuperating, ill, handicapped, in financial crisis, etc.). Special diet requirements are accommodated.

Eligibility: Anyone unable to prepare meals; medical request following hospital stay; general need.

Area Served: Beaufort, Port Royal, Burton, and Lady's Island

Help of Beaufort

Telephone: (843) 524-1223

Office Hours: 9:30 am - 12:30 pm (Mon-Fri)
(after 12:30 phone is switched to fax)

Address: P.O. Box 472
Beaufort, SC 29901-0472

Services: Emergency assistance; food, clothing and sometimes financial help.

Eligibility: Must be referred by Department of Social Services.

Area Served: Northern Beaufort County

Heroes on Horseback

Contact: Susan Lucia
Website: www.heroesonhorseback.org

Telephone: (843) 757-5607
Fax: (843) 757-5607

Address: P.O. Box 3678
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: Fall Sessions: September - December;
Spring Sessions: February - April

Services: Therapeutic horseback riding for people with special needs.

Eligibility: Individual must have special needs

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Hilton Head Hospital Auxiliary

Contact: Jody MacLeod
Director of Volunteer Services

Telephone: (843) 689-201
Fax: (843) 681-9531

Address: P.O. Box 21117
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Caring Touch; Lifeline; scholarships; Bloodmobile; transportation around Medical Center Campus. Volunteers in 26 departments of the medical center. Telephone for appt. and orientation.

Eligibility: Anyone over 14

Area Served: Bluffton and Hilton Head

Hilton Head Humane Association, Inc.

Contact: Franny Gerthoffer, Executive Director
E-Mail: info@hhhumane.org
Website: www.hhumane.org

Telephone: (843) 681-8686
Fax: (843) 681-8686

Address: P.O. Box 21790
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925

Office Hours: 11:00 - 4:00pm Mon./Thurs/Fri.;
Tues. closed; Weds. 11:00 - 6:00pm.

Services: No-kill shelter for homeless animals; adoption services; education on humane practices.

Eligibility: 21 or over to adopt or with parental consent.

Area Served: Hilton Head Island, Bluffton and Daufuskie

Hilton Head Island - Bluffton Chamber of Commerce

Contact: William G. Miles
E-Mail: info@hiltonheadisland.org
Website: www.hiltonheadisland.org

Telephone: (843) 785-3673
Fax: (843) 785-7110

Address: P.O. Box 5647
Hilton Head Island, SC 29938

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Now over 1,700 members strong, and committed to helping the business community and residents thrive and prosper. Whether it's networking opportunities, referrals, governmental advocacy, educational programs or helping to attract visitors, the chamber is dedicated to giving members a tangible return on their chamber investment.

Eligibility: Business owners

Area Served: Hilton Head Island and Bluffton

Hilton Head Island Recreation Association, Inc.

Contact: Frank Soule
E-Mail: reccenter@hargray.com
Website: www.islandreccenter.org

Telephone: (843) 681-7273
Fax: (843) 681-3754
Office Hours: 8:30 - 8:30pm

Address: P.O. Box 22593
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925

Physical: 20 Wilborn Rd.
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Services: Child care, Athletic leagues, swimming, youth and teen classes, senior classes, activities and trips.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Hilton Head, Bluffton, and visitors

Hilton Head Regional Habitat for Humanity

Contact: Patricia Carey Wirth, Exec. Dir.
E-Mail: hfh1pcw@aol.com

Telephone: (843) 757-5864
Fax: (843) 757-5865

Address: 21 Brendan Lane
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Non-profit housing ministry for low to very low income families. Call and attend family selection orientation meeting that happens quarterly. Provides a 30 year mortgage at 0% interest for the cost of construction.

Eligibility: Inadequate housing, low income, good credit.

Area Served: Southern Beaufort County and Jasper County

Hilton Head Regional Medical Center

Telephone: (843) 681-6122

Fax: (843) 689-8302

Website: www.hiltonheadregional.com

Address: 25 Hospital Center Boulevard
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: Hilton Head Regional Medical Center is a 93-bed acute care hospital. The hospital has been serving the medical and health care needs of the Hilton Head Island and Bluffton communities for more than thirty years. The hospital provides a number of services, including specialties in cardiac care, cancer care, 24-hour emergency services, orthopedics, obstetrics, surgical services, wellness and prevention and physical rehabilitation. Hilton Head Regional Medical Center is accredited by The Joint Commission, the nation's oldest and largest hospital accreditation agency.

Physical Rehabilitation Center (comprehensive adult and pediatric physical rehabilitation service, Center for Healthy Living, Heart Center, Cancer Center, and Women's Center)

Area Served: Hilton Head Island, Bluffton, Okatie - Beaufort County and surrounding counties.

Cost: Varies. Accepts most major health insurance.

Hilton Head Regional – Mid-Island Primary Care Center

Contact: Deborah Burt, Administrator

Telephone: (843) 681-2074

Website: www.hiltonheadregional.com

Office Hours: Primary Care: M, W, F 8am – 5pm
Tuesday and Thurs. 8am - noon

Address: Medical Pavilion, Suite 300
25 Hospital Center Blvd
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Services: primary care for the entire family. Well visits, X-ray, laboratory on site, appointments

Area Served: Hilton Head Island, Bluffton, Okatie - Beaufort and surrounding Counties.

Cost: Varies. Accepts most major health insurance.

Hilton Head Regional – Bluffton / Okatie Center

Contact: Deborah Burt, Administrator
Website: www.hiltonheadregional.com

Address: 40 Okatie Center Blvd. S.
Okatie, SC 29909

Area Served: Hilton Head Island, Bluffton, Okatie - Beaufort and surrounding Counties.

Cost: Varies. Accepts most major health insurance.

Outpatient Center

Telephone: (843) 705-8800

Services: Outpatient surgery center, physical rehabilitation (cardiac, physical, occupational, speech modalities), primary & urgent care center, radiology, laboratory, diagnostic cardiology, wellness and prevention, physicians' offices.

Primary & Urgent Care Center

Telephone: (843) 705-8888

Office Hours: M-F 8am – 6pm; Sat 9am – 2pm

Services: primary & urgent care for the entire family. Well visits, X-ray, laboratory on site.

Hilton Head Regional – Burnt Church Primary & Urgent Care Center

Contact: Deborah Burt, Administrator
Website: www.hiltonheadregional.com

Telephone: (843) 705-8915

Office hours: Primary Care: M-F 8am – 5pm
Urgent Care: M-Thurs. 8am – 7pm

Address: 1 Burnt Church Road
Bluffton, SC 29910

Services: Primary & urgent care for the entire family. Well visits, X-ray, laboratory on site, walk-in and appointments.

Area Served: Hilton Head Island, Bluffton, Okatie - Beaufort and surrounding Counties.

Cost: Varies. Accepts most major health insurance.

Home Instead

Contact: Kim Story, recruitment coordinator
E-Mail: hisckim@bellsouth.net

Telephone: (843) 842-3372
Fax: (912) 355-0181

Address: 7505 Waters Ave. F-2
Savannah, GA 31412

Services: Home care services: companionship, light housekeeping, meal preparation, transportation, errands.

Eligibility: General Public
Area Served: South Carolina

Hope Haven of the Lowcountry

Contact: Shauw Chin Capps
E-Mail: hope2@islc.net
Website: www.hopehavenlc.org

Telephone: (843) 524-2256; (843) 524-6699;
Toll Free 1-800-637-7273

Address: P.O. Box 2502
Beaufort, SC 29906

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: 24/7 rape crisis hotline, hospital/medical accompaniment, court accompaniment, counseling/therapy (individual, couples, family, and group), forensic interviews for alleged cases of child sexual and severe physical abuse, monthly case reviews with multi-disciplinary team, rape/sexual abuse prevention education for all age groups, and child protection policy consultation provided to any child/youth serving organizations.

Eligibility: Anyone with concerns and questions about child abuse, rape, sexual abuse can use our 24/7 hotline. Referrals for forensic interviews must come from law enforcement agencies and the Department of Social Services.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, Colleton, and Allendale Counties

Hospice Care of America

Contact: Sara Nolette
E-Mail: snolette@msa-corp.com

Telephone: (843) 322-0063, 1-800-762-8568
Fax: (843) 322-0374

Address: 21 Professional Village Circle
Beaufort, SC 29907

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: In home medical care; includes nurse, social worker, chaplain, certified nursing assistant, medications, medical equipment and supplies.

Eligibility: Life-limiting illness

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, and Colleton Counties

Hospice Care of the Low Country

Contact: Carol Egnatz
E-Mail: www.hospicecarelc.com

Telephone: (843) 706-2296
Fax: (843) 706-4095

Address: P.O. Box 3872
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: Team of dedicated physicians, nurses, certified nurses aides, therapists, social workers, chaplains, trained volunteers, bereavement counselors provide compassionate care to those with life threatening illnesses. Also provide physical, speech, occupational, and music therapy.

Eligibility: Physician must certify patient is suffering from a terminal illness, with a life expectancy of 6 months or less if disease follows normal progression.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

In Charge Debt Solution

Telephone: Toll Free 1-800-347-8536

Services: Free credit counseling by phone. Works with your creditors to reduce your interest rates so you can pay your debts.

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: National

Inner City Night Shelter-Savannah

Telephone: (912) 232-4673
E-Mail: execdiricns@comcast.net

Fax: (912) 651-3622

Address: 124 Arnold Street
Savannah, GA 31401

Office Hours: intakes at 5 pm daily; M-F
no intakes on weekend

Services: Men only homeless shelter. Anyone can come to eat 4-6 pm. Clothing, food, substance abuse meetings; help find housing and employment.

Eligibility: Homeless men

Area Served: Savannah and all surrounding counties

Internal Revenue Service

Contact: Joyce L. Robbins

Telephone: (803) 765-5416

Address: 1835 Assembly St.
Columbia, SC 29201

Office Hours: Call contact for site listing

Services: Provides free help to prepare basic tax forms (1040EZ, 1040A, and 1040 with Schedules A and B). Taxpayers should bring Forms W-2, social security cards for children or dependents, info. on interest or dividends (form 1099), and a copy of last year's tax return.

Eligibility: Individuals needing help with basic tax returns. No business or complicated returns.

Area Served: Jasper County

Island Health Care of Beaufort

Contact: Shembra Carter
Website: www.thagroup.org

Telephone: (843) 522-0296
Fax: (843) 522-0809

Address: 1211 Newcastle Road, Suite D
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: In home care services such as social workers, physical, occupational, and speech therapy, nutrition counseling and private duty nurses, all within your home. Also has offices in Port Royal, Hilton Head Island, and Bluffton.

Eligibility: Anyone in need of home health care

Area Served: Beaufort County

Jasper County Board of Disabilities and Special Needs

Contact: Deborah Walsh
E-Mail: dwalsh@jcbdsn.com

Telephone: (843) 726-4499
Fax: (843) 726-4091

Address: P.O. Box 747
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 1512 Grays Hwy.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Serve individuals with developmental disabilities, head and spinal cord injuries, and other lifelong disabilities.

Eligibility: Determined by psych evaluations; other services as requested

Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Chamber of Commerce

Contact: Kendall Malphrus
E-Mail: jaspersccoc@earthlink.net
Website: www.jaspersc.org

Telephone: (843) 726-8126
Fax: (843) 726-6290
Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 1267
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 451 B East Wilson St.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Business contacts and exposure, Business After Hours, Jasper County maps and publications, advertising and sponsorship opportunities.

Eligibility: Any person, firm, corporation or association interested in the objectives of the Chamber.

Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Council on Aging

Contact: Carl Roache
E-Mail: jccoacarl@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 726-5601
Fax: (843) 717-2822

Address: P. O. Box 641, 30 Main St.
Hardeeville, SC 20036

Office Hours: 8:00 - 4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Dining room meals, home delivered meals, information and referral, group outings and activities, crafts, exercise and health and wellness facilities, internet access, and educational opportunities.

Eligibility: Age 60 or caregiver of individual age 60 or above.

Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Department of Health & Human Services

Contact: Elizabeth Drayton
E-Mail: www.dhhs.state.sc.us

Telephone: (843) 726-7747
Fax: (843) 726-7752

Address: P.O.Box 1359
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 204 North Jacob Smart Blvd.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Adult Medicaid, child Medicaid, Families with Children Medicaid, referral for Medical Transportation, referrals for child support

Eligibility: Anyone who lives in Jasper County

Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Department of Social Services

Contact: Mary M. Wrighten
E-Mail: www.state.sc.us/dss/

Telephone: (843) 726-7747
Fax: (843) 726-7752

Address: P.O.Box 1359
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 204 North Jacob Smart Blvd.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Adoption, adult protective services, Child Protective Services, Family Independence; Food Stamps, Foster Care Services, Foster Home and Group Home Licensing, Referrals for Child Support; emergency financial services (utilities and medicine).

Eligibility: Anyone who lives in Jasper County

Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Health Department

Contact: Kathy Goen, RN - Clinic Mgr.
Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Telephone: (843) 726-7788
Fax: (843) 726-5320

Address: P.O.Box 220
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 359 E.Wilson St.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Preventative healthcare to individuals of all ages and income levels, family planning, immunizations, WIC, family support services, newborn home visits, screening and treatment for sexually transmitted diseases, tuberculosis and other communicable diseases.

Eligibility: General public

Area Served: Jasper, Beaufort, Hampton, and Colleton Counties

Jasper County Parks & Recreation

Contact: Johnny Davis
E-Mail: rec_director@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 784-5136
Fax: (843) 784-5172

Address: 1458 Red Dam Rd.
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Youth and adult recreational activities. Community centers and activity center available for booking.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Jasper County and surrounding areas

Jasper County Probate Court

Contact: Joseph N. Malphrus
Website: www.jaspercountysc.gov

Telephone: (843) 726-7718

Address: P.O. Box 1028
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00 (Mon-Fri)

Services: Conservatorships and guardianships; Civil commitment (alcohol, drug and mental); Issuance of marriage licenses and marriage ceremonies; Decedents' estates; Trusts; etc.

Eligibility: Based on service required

Area Served: Jasper, Hampton and Allendale Counties

Jasper County School District

Contact: Dr. William Singleton, Superintendent **Telephone:** (843) 717-1100
E-Mail: www.jcsd.net **Fax:** (843) 717-1199

Address: P.O. Box 848 **Office Hours:** 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Education in Pre K-12 grades; 2 Elementary schools, 2 Middle schools, 1 High school; 1 Vocational Academy; 1 Alternative School Program; Special Needs Program.

Eligibility: School age
Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Sheriff's Office

Contact: Sheriff Benjamin Riley **Telephone:** (843) 726-7777
Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00 **Fax:** (843) 726-7778

Address: P.O. Box 986 **Physical:** 12008 N. Jacob Smart Blvd.
Ridgeland, SC 29936 Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: This agency provides law enforcement services for Jasper County. After hours call (843) 726-7519.

Eligibility: General public
Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Sheriff's Office - Animal Control

Contact: Deputy H. McCracken **Telephone:** (843) 726-7777
Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm **Fax:** (843) 726-7778

Address: P.O. Box 986 **Physical:** 12008 N. Jacob Smart Blvd.
Ridgeland, SC 29936 Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: To answer / respond to any animal complaints made by the citizens of Jasper County.

Eligibility: Jasper County Resident
Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Sheriff's Office - Victim Advocate

Contact: Linda Dupont
Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm

Telephone: (843) 726-7777
Fax: (843) 726-7778

Address: P.O. Box 986
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 12008 N. Jacob Smart Blv.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Provides services to victims of crime, immediate response to crisis, works with CODA and other agencies.

Eligibility: Residents of Jasper County
Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Solicitor's Office - Victim Advocate

Contact: Rhonda Cradle
Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00

Telephone: (843) 717-4061

Address: P.O. Box 48
Hardeeville, SC 28836

Physical: 14 Barker Ct.
Hardeeville, SC 29936

Services: Prosecutor's office, worthless check unit, victim advocate services.

Eligibility: Residents of Jasper County
Area Served: Jasper County

Jasper County Veterans Affairs

Contact: Rabenel C. Bright, Sr.
E-Mail: rbright@jaspercountysc.gov

Telephone: (843) 726-7727
Fax: (843) 726-7617

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 1536
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 7554 West Main St.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Advise and provide technical assistance in obtaining benefits to eligible veterans.

Eligibility: Honorably discharged veterans, spouse, surviving spouse, and dependents.
Area Served: Jasper County

Keep Beaufort County Beautiful

Contact: Veronica C. Miller, Coordinator
Office Hours: 7:30-4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Telephone: (843) 470-6416
Fax: (843) 570-4618

Address: 120 Shanklin Road
Beaufort, SC 29906

Services: Education on solid waste, recycling, litter reduction; community cleanliness projects.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Keep Jasper County Beautiful

Contact: Delia Caskey
Website: jasperkab-jswcd@earthlink.net

Telephone: (843) 726-7611
Fax: (843) 726-3263

Address: c/o Blue Heron Learning Ctr.
321 Bailey Lane
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Litter education, prevention, awareness, and Adopt A Highway and Adopt A Boat Landing

Eligibility: Anyone wishing to volunteer

Area Served: Allendale, Hampton and Jasper

Latin American Council

Contact: Laura Ramirez
E-Mail: lacsc2@aol.com
Website: www.latinosc.org

Telephone: (843) 682-4599
Fax: (843) 682-9659

Address: 160 William Hilton Pkwy;
Fairfield Square, Suite 2
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 7:00 - 3:00pm (Mon-Fri);
Sat. 7:00 - 12:00pm

Services: Works to improve education, opportunities, and quality of life for Latinos and others; Facilitate employment & counseling services; They provide the following services: English as a Second Language (morning & evening classes), Preparation of income tax return and tax ID processing, assistance with referrals to other agencies, GED preparation for adult students, Legal counseling, translation services for public and private entities, and are a day labor center for employment. May also be able to provide transportation for medical or employment purposes, but must call for availability.

Eligibility: Hispanic population or anyone else seeking its help

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society

Contact: Paul Jeter
Website: www.lls.org

Telephone: (803) 749-4299
Fax: (803) 749-4088

Address: 1247 Lake Murray Blvd.
Irmo, SC 29063

Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 9:00-5:00pm;
Fri. 9:00 - 4:00pm

Services: Financial aid for patients, educational materials, research funding; First Connection, family support groups, advocacy, information & referral, patient & professional education.

Eligibility: Anyone diagnosed with leukemia, melanoma, Hodgkin's Disease (all blood related cancers).

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Lifeline Monitoring Service - Hilton Head Hospital Auxiliary

Contact: Orville Allen, Program Manager

Telephone: 1-800-543-3546

Address: P.O. Box 21117
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: Emergency response system for persons living alone or disabled individuals. Ties into Lifeline Monitoring Service.

Eligibility: Anyone. Cost is \$30 per month

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Lions Club-Beaufort

Contact: Pat Harvey
Fax: (843) 522-1705

Telephone: (843) 522-0066, (843) 838-4611;
(843) 575-4711

Address: P.O. Box 658
Beaufort, SC, 29901

Services: Provide financial assistance for eye glasses.

Eligibility: Low income individuals needing assistance with eye glasses.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Lions Club-Main

Contact: Wanda King

Telephone: (866) 325-4667

Services: Will provide information on local chapters of the Lions Club, including information on how to obtain services.

Eligibility: Those in need

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Literacy Volunteers of the Lowcountry

E-Mail: info@lowcountryliteracy.org

Office Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 9:00-3:00pm;

Website: www.lowcountryliteracy.org

other hours by appt.

Services: One on one basic skills tutoring; small group, classroom, and computer assisted English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) instruction for adults; family literacy; fee based workplace literacy programs for businesses. 12 program locations with daytime and/or evening schedules in Beaufort and Jasper counties.

Eligibility: Adults 18 years of age and older in Beaufort County and Surrounding areas who make a commitment to improve their skills.

Area Served: Beaufort County and surrounding areas

Headquarters &

Wexford Learning Center

Telephone: (843) 686-6655

Fax: (843) 686-6949

Address:

9 Town Center Court
Hilton Head Island, SC 29928

Beaufort Center

Telephone: (843) 525-6658

Fax: (843) 521-1945

Address:

1403 Prince Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Oak Park Center

Telephone: (843) 681-6655

Fax: (843) 681-6948

Address:

4 Oak Park Drive
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Low Country Health District Children's Rehabilitative Services

Contact: Caroline Jenkins, Coordinator

Telephone: (843) 525-4075

Fax: (843) 521-5507

Address: 1407 King Street
Beaufort, SC 29907

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Medical evaluation and treatment of children from birth to 21 years for conditions such as bone and joint diseases, hearing loss, cleft lip and palate, seizures, congenital heart conditions, spina bifida, cystic fibrosis, endocrine disorders, hemophilia, sickle cell disorders, developmental delays, kidney disease.

Eligibility: Legal US residents living in South Carolina.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Low Country Presbyterian Church

Contact: Sherry

Telephone: (843) 815-6570

E-Mail: lpcoffice@hargray.com

Address: 10 Simmonsville Road
Bluffton, SC 29910

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Medical Equipment, such as walkers, canes, wheelchairs, bedside commodes, etc., for loan.

Eligibility: Resident of Hilton Head, Bluffton, Hardeeville, and Okatie areas.

Area Served: Southern Beaufort County

Lowcountry Council of Governments

Telephone: (843) 726-5536

Fax: (843) 726-5165

Address: P.O. Box 98
Yemassee, SC 29945

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Emergency rental program, minor home repair program.

Eligibility: Varies by program

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Lowcountry Council of Governments - Area Agency on Aging

Contact: Karen Anderson
Fax: (843) 726-5165

Telephone: (843) 726-5536

Address: P.O. Box 98
Yemassee, SC 29945

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Information and referral regarding services for older persons, legislative advocacy, planning, regional long-term care ombudsman, health insurance and benefits counseling, legal assistance.

Eligibility: Persons 55+ or their caregivers.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Lowcountry Council of Governments - Workforce Investment Area

Contact: Mellisa Hawkins
E-Mail: mhawkins@lowcountrycog.org

Telephone: (843) 726-5536
Fax: (843) 726-5165

Address: P.O. Box 98
Yemassee, SC 29945

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Job search, Career guidance, training assistance, unemployment assistance, counseling and referral.

Eligibility: Per WIA guidelines, we serve adults, dislocated workers, and youth.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Lowcountry AIDS Services

Contact: Any office personnel
Office Hours: 8:30-4:30pm

Telephone: (843) 747-2273
Fax: (843) 745-0431

Address: 3547 Meeting Street Road
No. Charleston, SC 29405

Services: Counseling, case management, referrals, advocacy, housing subsidies, legal services, emergency financial assistance, prevention education, volunteer support. Will provide information and referral services to anyone that calls.

Eligibility: HIV positive persons, their families, friends and loved ones.

Area Served: Charleston, Berkeley and Dorchester Counties

Lowcountry Community Action Agency

Telephone: (843) 549-5576

Fax: (843) 549-2190

E-Mail: lowcountrycommunityaction@yahoo.com

Services: Provide financial assistance for utility bills, medications, rent, mortgage, food, and shelter.

Area Served: Hampton and Colleton Counties

Lowcountry Community Development Corporation

Contact: Joan Mustard - Home Buyers Education or Down Payment Assistance (843) 681-4484;
Renee Brown - Home Repair Program (843) 681-2993.

E-Mail: lowcountrycdc@hotmail.com

Fax: (843) 681-4746

Website: www.cdcorp.net

Address: P.O. Box 22955
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Homebuyer Education Program; Down Payment Assistance Programs; Housing Repair Assistance Programs.

Eligibility: Homebuyers education - none; Down Payment Asst. -Low income, and demonstratable need; Housing Repair Program - Very low income, clear title to property, NO MOBILE HOMES.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, Colleton, and Allendale Counties

Lowcountry Habitat For Humanity- Office

Contact: Brenda Dooley

Telephone: (843) 522-3500

E-Mail: info@lowcountryhabitat.org

Fax: (843) 522-3553

Address: 616 Parris Island Gateway
Beaufort, SC 29906

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Volunteers build simple, affordable houses in partnership with local families in need. Also provides very limited home repairs for elderly, infirm, and disabled.

Eligibility: US residents working or living in Northern Beaufort County, currently living in substandard conditions, with low income and ability to pay mortgage, and a willingness to contribute 250 hours of sweat equity per adult.

Area Served: Northern Beaufort County

Lowcountry Habitat for Humanity - ReStore

Contact: Jennie Drake
E-Mail: jennie@lowcountryhabitat.org

Telephone: (843) 525-0055
Fax: (843) 522-3553

Address: 616 Parris Island Gateway
Beaufort, SC 29906

Office Hours: Store open Thurs/Fri/Sat from
10:00-5:00pm

Services: ReStore sells donated furniture, appliances and building supplies to the general public. All proceeds benefit Lowcountry Habitat for Humanity's construction and repair program in Northern Beaufort County. If you wish to donate materials, call to arrange a pick-up date and time.

Eligibility: General Public

LowCountry Legal Aid, Inc.

Contact: Keri Olivetti
E-Mail: lclc@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 815-1570
Fax: (843) 815-2443

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm Mon - Thurs.; Fri. 9:00 - 12:00pm

Address: P.O. Box 2496
Bluffton, SC 29910

Physical: 7 Simmonsville Rd., Ste. 300
Bluffton, SC 29910

Services: Free legal aid, education, and representation.

Eligibility: Income up to 125% of federal poverty level

Area Served: Greater Hilton Head Area

Lowcountry Long-Term Care Service

Contact: Jackie Walker

Telephone: (843) 525-7674

Address: 604 Bladen Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Help with personal care, light housekeeping and meal preparation for persons who want to stay at home when ill.

Eligibility: Persons needing assistance with personal care

Area Served: Allendale, Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Lowcountry Regional Transportation Authority (LRTA)

DBA Palmetto Breeze

Contact: Mary Palmer; Rochelle Ferguson
E-Mail: llrta@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 757-5782
Fax: (843) 757-5783

Address: P.O. Box 2079
Bluffton, SC 29910-2079

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm

Services: Public transportation and contract services. Also provide: Demand Response Transportation - door to door pick-up for elderly or disabled/handicapped individuals. Must provide at least 24 hours advance notice. Employment Transportation - will provide 1 week free bus pass for those individuals who have just obtained employment. Must call for details.

Eligibility: Open to the public.

Magdaline Project

Contact: Case Manager

Telephone: (912) 629-4015

Address: 5000 Jasmin Avenue
Savannah, GA 31404

Services: 65 shelter beds for women and their children.

Eligibility: Shelter for women and children

Area Served: Savannah and surrounding counties

Make-A-Wish Foundation of South Carolina

Contact: Tiffany Howard
E-Mail: mawfsc@wish.org

Telephone: 1-800-293-9474
Fax: (843) 853-7892

Address: 3520 Meeks Farm Road, Suite C
John's Island, SC 29455

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Mission is to fulfill the wishes of children between the ages of 2 1/2 and 18 who suffer from a life-threatening illness.

Eligibility: Must be a child between the ages of 2 1/2 - 18 years old with a progressive, malignant, or degenerative disease.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton, Allendale, Charleston, and Dorchester Counties

March of Dimes

Contact: Kathy Douglas

E-Mail: www.marchofdimes.com/southcarolina

Telephone: (803) 252-5200

Fax: (803) 799-4549

Address: 240 Stoneridge Drive
I Graystone Building, Suite 206
Columbia, SC 29210

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Educational information on pre-pregnancy planning, pregnancy and childbirth. Spanish bilingual materials. Community grants available to 501c3 organizations.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Marine New Parent Support Program

Contact: Debbie Malphrus

E-Mail: debbie.malphrus.ctr@usmc.mil

Telephone: (843) 228-3451

Fax: (843) 228-4874

Address: Personal Services MNPSP
P.O. Box 5100
Parris Island, SC 29905

Office Hours: 7:30 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Home visits, prenatal classes, parenting classes, play morning, specialty workshops.

Eligibility: Military dependent.

Area Served: Tri County Area

Meals-On-Wheels, Bluffton-Hilton Head, Inc.

Contact: Greg Vavoso

E-Mail: gpv711@hargray.com

Telephone: (843) 689-8334

Office Hours: Varies

Address: P.O. Box 23691
Hilton Head, SC 29925

Services: Provide a hot, mid-day meal 5 days per week, 52 weeks a year.

Eligibility: Anyone who cannot provide a meal for themselves, regardless of financial status.

Area Served: Hilton Head Island, Daufuskie Island, Bluffton, Sun City, and Pritchardville

Med-I-Assist

Telephone: (843) 757-4818 ; (843) 470-4600 **Office Hours:** Tues. and Weds. 10:00 - 2:00pm;
Thurs. 11:30 - 2:00pm

Address: Bluffton Community Center
141 Goethe Road,
Bluffton, SC 29910

Services: Free program designed specifically for individuals who lack a prescription insurance plan. Trained volunteers guide you through the filing process and renewals.

Eligibility: Any individual of low income who lacks a prescription insurance plan. Must bring picture ID, SS card, proof of income, and all medications that you are currently taking.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Medic Alert International

Telephone: (800) ID-ALERT

Fax: 1-800-863-3429

E-Mail: www.medicalert.org

Address: 2323 Colorado Avenue
Turlock, CA 95382

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: Nonprofit membership organization providing emergency medical information; identification for people with any medical condition, allergies or on medications.

Eligibility: Anyone. If member of a sponsored medical program, fees are waived.

Area Served: National

Mental Health America

Contact: Joy Jay, Exec. Dir.

Telephone: (803) 779-5363, (803) 779-5363

Website: www.mha-sc.org

Fax: (803) 779-0017

Address: 1823 Gadsden Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00 (Mon-Fri)

Services: Advocacy on individual or systems issues, education, speaker's bureau, materials on mental health and mental illnesses, memberships, technical assistance to develop housing. Also has a day program called Bridges House.

Eligibility: Adults or children with mental illness, their families or those interested in mental health.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Mental Health Association of Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Contact: Mike Walsh
Website: www.mhabj.org

Telephone: (843) 682-2900
Fax: (843) 682-2908

Address: 3 Mathews Court, #3
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Canal apartments (low cost housing), information center on mental health, educational programs. Screening days; Psychosocial rehab program, and Human Service training program.

Eligibility: Anyone

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Mercy Medical Airlift

E-Mail: mercymedicalops@erols.com
Website: www.mercymedical.com

Telephone: 1-800-675-1405, 1-800-296-1217
Office Hours: Varies

Address: 4620 Haygood Road, Suite 1
Virginia Beach, VA 23455

Services: Facilitate a charitable means of long distance medical air transport for all medically indigent, low income, and financially vulnerable patients thereby ensuring equal access to distant specialized medical treatment or to appropriate facilities and settings for care.

Eligibility: Anyone; Apply by telephone

Area Served: National

Mothers Against Drunk Driving

Contact: Jami Goldman, Traci Thompson
E-Mail: maddsc1@maddsc1.com
Website: www.sc.state@madd.org

Telephone: (803) 748-7333; (800)543-8692,
Fax: (803) 748-8600

Address: 2711 Middleburg Drive, Suite 307
Columbia, SC 29204

Office Hours: Varies

Services: To support victim/survivors of alcohol-related traffic crashes, to educate and increase public awareness regarding the problems of alcohol and drug impaired drivers.

Eligibility: Anyone.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Multiple Sclerosis Association of America

Website: www.msassociation.org

Telephone: 1-800-532-7667

Address: 706 Haddenfield Road
Cherry Hill, NJ 08002

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Focus is to help those with MS work with the day-to-day challenges of living with their condition. This organization has the following programs: Distribution program (safety and mobility equipment/living aids), cooling program, lending library, networking program, and home modification program.

Eligibility: Those with MS or those seeking information about MS

Area Served: National

Muscular Dystrophy Association

Contact: Ellie Sutherland

Telephone: (843) 556-3654

E-Mail: www.mdausa.org

Fax: (843) 556-7826

Address: 29 Leinbach Drive.
Charleston, SC 29407

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Clinic visits, flu/pneumonia shots, occupational/physical therapy, assistance with purchase or repair of wheelchairs and leg braces.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Coastal Empire and the Lowcountry

National Domestic Violence Hotline

Contact: Phyllis Brown

Telephone: (800) 787-3224

Website: www.ndvh.org

Fax: (512) 794-1199

Address: P.O. Box 161810
Austin, TX 78716

Office Hours: 24 hours a day/7 days a week

Services: Crisis intervention, problem solving skills, support, referrals. Bilingual.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: National

National Federation of the Blind

Contact: Ruth Collier or Beulah Sawyer
Fax: (843) 524-9247

Telephone: (843) 525-1932
Office Hours: Varies

Address: P.O. Box 4461
Beaufort, SC 29901

Services: Meets 4th Saturday of each month. Meetings at Green Street Gym in Beaufort. Self-awareness group for sighted and unsighted; provides help in obtaining talking books, tape players, white canes. Advocacy.

Eligibility: Anyone.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

National Kidney Foundation of South Carolina

Contact: Beth Hughes
Website: www.kidney.sc.org

Telephone: (803) 799-3870; (888) 848-5277
Fax: (803) 799-3871

Address: 500 Taylor Street, Suite 101
Columbia, SC 29201

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Information, support and service to persons afflicted with kidney and urinary tract disease; Kidney car program; speakers; research.

Eligibility: State residents.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

National MS Society - South Carolina Regional Office

Contact: Any staff can assist
Website: www.nationalmssociety.org

Telephone: (803) 799-7848, 1-800-922-7591
Fax: (803) 765-2259

Address: 2711 Middleburg Drive, Suite 105
Columbia, SC 29204

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Information, educational programs, research, emergency financial assistance, support groups, peer support, chapter newsletter, equipment, referral services, books, videos, cassettes, respite break for families, MS clinics, advocacy and exercise programs.

Eligibility: Those with MS or those seeking information about MS

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society

Contact: Ronald E. Grindle, Director
E-Mail: ron.grindle@nmcrrs.org

Telephone: (843) 228-3512
Fax: (843) 228-3817

Address: P.O. Box 5058, Building 286 MCRD
Parris Island, SC 29905

Office Hours: 8:00-4:00pm

Services: Emergency services for basic living expenses and travel; budget counseling; layette for newborns.

Eligibility: Active duty, retired Marines or Navy, dependents, widowed.

Area Served: Beaufort and Surrounding Counties

New LIFE Center Commission on Alcohol & Other Drug Abuse

Contact: David Heirs
E-Mail: nlchampton@earthlink.net

Telephone: (843) 726-5996
Fax: (843) 726-4313

Address: P.O.Box 1362
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 113 E. Wilson St.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Outpatient treatment for addictions, prevention programs, adolescent counseling, red ribbon campaign, counseling ADSAP groups, employee assistant programs

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Jasper, Hampton and Allendale Counties

Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management- SC DHEC

Contact: Linda Ingram

Fax: (843) 846-9810

Address: 104 Parker Drive
Beaufort, SC 29906

Telephone: (843) 846-9400

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Environmental engineer handles storm water, waste water and water supply permits for Beaufort and Jasper counties. Regulates development in eight coastal counties, dock permits, erosion control devices, critical and all Atlantic Ocean development.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Colleton Counties

Office of Special Investigations, Fraud Hotline

Contact: Trudy Moreland
Website: www.fraudnet.gao.gov

Telephone: Toll Free 1-800-424-5454
Fax: (202) 512-3086

Address: P.O. Box 176
Washington, DC 20013-1736

Office Hours: 10:00-4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Take allegations on waste, fraud and illegal activity involving federal money. Callers can discuss their allegations with the hotline staff.

Eligibility: General public.

Area Served: National

Palmetto Animal League

Contact: Amy Campanini
E-Mail: info@palmettoanimalleague.org
Website: www.palmettoanimalleague.org

Telephone: (843) 227-2691
Office Hours: Varies

Address: P. O. Box 539
Bluffton, SC 29910

Services: Foster care and adoption programs; Low cost spay/neuter clinics; Senior citizen pet assistance.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Palmetto Electric - Operation Roundup Program

Contact: Rita Welch
Website: www.palmetto.coop

Telephone: (843) 726-5551 ext. 5003

Address: P.O. Box 820
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Provides direct financial assistance for food, shelter, clothing, health needs and educational needs, with all other needs assessed on a case by case basis. Process takes about 1 1/2 months. Person in need will call and have an application sent out. They will then fill out the application, provide all necessary information, and return application form. Panel convenes once a month to make all financial determinations. Program will then get in touch with applicants to inform them of the decision.

Eligibility: Based on financial need.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper and Hampton Counties

Patient Advocate Foundation

E-Mail: help@patientadvocate.org
Website: www.patientadvocate.org

Telephone: (800) 532-5274
Fax: (757) 873-8999

Address: 700 Thimble Shoals Blvd., Suite 200
Newport News, VA 23606

Services: National non-profit organization that seeks to safeguard patients through effective mediation assuring access to care, maintenance of employment and preservation of their financial stability. Can also assist to expedite Social Security Disability, Medicare/Medicaid, and other social programs.

Area Served: National

Penn Center

Contact: Walter Mack or Bernie Wright
E-Mail: Info@PennCenter.com

Telephone: (843) 838-2432
Fax: (843) 838-8545

Address: P.O. Box 126
St. Helena Island, SC 29920

Office Hours: 9:00-5:00pm (Mon-Fri);
Museum Mon - Sat. 11:00 - 4:00pm

Services: Early intervention program concentrates on “at risk” families with pre-school children and focuses on education, health, and social development of the entire family unit, helping to enhance the cognitive, emotional, social, and physical development skills of the pre-school child. The PACE program (Program for academic and cultural enrichment) fosters youth development programs for Sea Island children ages 14 months – 17 years. Instruction focuses on education, social, environmental, and cultural development and enrichment. Also provides tutoring for 4th through 8th grade students. Museum focusing on African American History of the Sea Islands; and Conference Center facilities.

Personal Services Branch, MCCS

Contact: Susan Stamper-Smith
E-Mail: www.mccssc.com

Telephone: (843) 228-7351, (843) 228-7351
Fax: (843) 228-6105

Address: P.O. Box 55023
Beaufort, SC 29904-5023

Office Hours: 7:30-4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Information and referral, family counseling, child and spouse abuse reporting and case management, welcome aboard packages, loan locker, food locker, job search skills, resume writing, transition to civilian life, exceptional family member assistance, substance abuse, deployment assistance, consumer information and financial management, volunteer opportunities, retired activities office, health and wellness promotion.

Eligibility: Active or reserve duty/retired marines and their dependents.

Phoenix House

Contact: Aretha Jones, MPH
Website: www.unionmission.org

Telephone: (912) 231-0123
Fax: (912) 232-7423

Address: 525 E. 34th Street
Savannah, GA

Office Hours: Varies

Services: Phoenix house exists to address the needs of persons living with HIV/AIDS, especially those who are homeless or without support systems. It offers numerous onsite services such as HIV primary healthcare clinic, housing, and many other programs designed to promote independence and self-sufficiency.

Eligibility: Homeless persons living with HIV/AIDS
Area Served: Savannah and surrounding counties

Positive Image Prosthetics and Orthotics

Contact: David Puckett
E-Mail: www.pipoinc.com

Telephone: (843) 470-5087
Office Hours: 8:00 - 4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: 994 Ribaut Rd.
Beaufort, SC 29902

Services: Fitting patients with braces, diabetic shoes, etc.

Eligibility: General Public
Area Served: Beaufort County

Pratt Memorial Library

Contact: Beth McNeer
E-Mail: prattlibrary@yahoo.com

Telephone: (843) 726-7744
Fax: (843) 726-7813

Address: P.O. Drawer 1540
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 451-A Wilson St.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: Varies, call for times

Services: Information services and circulation of books, audiocassettes, videocassettes, and periodicals. Internet access.

Eligibility: Must be 6 years old; proof of local address; parent signature
Area Served: Jasper County

Pregnancy Center and Clinic of the Lowcountry

Telephone: (843) 689-2222 ; (843) 525-0300

E-Mail: pcchhi@hargray.com

Fax: (843) 689-5267

Website: www.pregnancycenterhhi.org

Address: 1 Cardinal Rd. Suites 1&2
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 9:00-4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: FREE Services include: Prenatal care (up to 16th week), testing for pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, confidential guidance, educational presentations to organizations, various support group meetings, guidance for continued education and career opportunities (scholarship assistance), parenting classes, assistance in securing appropriate community resources (affordable medical care housing, employment, transportation, affordable professional legal, medical and/or psychological services) maternity clothing, layette, and toddler clothing exchange program, Infant equipment such as cribs, car seats and strollers on a loan basis, adoption information, and family budget counseling.

Eligibility: Any Female

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Prescription Assistance Program

Telephone: (888) 331-1002

Website: www.scbn.org

Services: Help patients maintain health and well being by offering free prescription medications and discount prescription drugs for those who lack medication coverage and have limited financial means.

Eligibility: Anyone without medication coverage and has limited financial resources.

Area Served: National

Programs for Exceptional People

Contact: Peg Carroll or Amanda Diaczenko

Website: www.pephhi.org

Telephone: (843) 681-8413

Fax: (843) 681-6931

Address: 10 Oak Park Drive, Box 2
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926

Office Hours: 8:00-4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Prevocational, employment, independent living skills, social and recreational training for adults with developmental disabilities. Also offer Summer program for children 13 years and up.

Eligibility: Over age 21 with diagnosed disability

Area Served: Beaufort County

S.H.A.R.E. Senior Center

Contact: Laura Mason

Office Hours: 8:30 - 4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Telephone: (843) 785-6444

Fax: (843) 785-7293

Address: 6 Office Way, Suite 915
Hilton Head Island, SC 29928

Services: Senior citizen programs such as organized card games, Scrabble, Socials (dances), Fitness programs, craft clubs, etc.

Eligibility: Any individual 50+, must be mobile

Area Served: Beaufort and Surrounding counties

Safe Haven

Contact: Any staff can help

Telephone: (843) 549-1597

Address: 617 Black Street
Walterboro, SC 29488

Office Hours: Open 24 hours a day/7 days a week;
must be on-site by 9:00pm
after 9:00pm, police must escort.

Services: Shelter for families. Allows person/family to stay 60 days to obtain self-sufficiency.

Eligibility: Any homeless woman or her family. Men can stay as part of the family unit, but must be able to show marriage certificate.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Salvation Army

Contact: Mrs. Culp, Family Services Director

Office Hours: 9:00-4:00; closed 12:00-1:00pm

Telephone: (843) 524-3727

Fax: (843) 524-3130

Address: P.O. Box 105
Beaufort, SC 29901-0105

Physical: 2505 North Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Services: Disaster services (furniture, food, clothing, etc.), food, emergency temporary lodging, emergency financial assistance (utilities, rent/mortgage, medicine), information and referral, camping experience (Salvation Army Camp in NC, applications accepted in the spring), and thrift stores (Beaufort 524-5206 / Bluffton 815-3835). Also provides help for Christmas through "Operation Holiday Heroes" (applications accepted at beginning of November).

Eligibility: General Public; for financial assistance, you must be referred by DSS or other agency.

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Salvation Army - Savannah Shelter for the Homeless

Telephone: (912) 651-7420

Website: www.salvationarmy.org

Fax: (912) 651-7439

Office Hours: Intake is from 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Address: P.O. Box 23798
Savannah, GA 31403

Physical: 3100 Montgomery Street
Savannah, GA 31405

Services: Homeless shelter (first come first served). Provide caseworkers that assess, and establish individual case plans. Can arrange for extended stays in order to gain self-sufficiency.

Eligibility: Homeless. Need picture ID (arrangements can be made on case-by-case basis)

Area Served: Savannah and surrounding counties

SCORE

E-Mail: score@hiltonheadisland.org

Website: www.scorehiltonhead.com

Telephone: (843) 785-7107 - Hilton Head;
(843) 470-0800 - Beaufort

Address: P.O. Box 5647
Hilton Head Island, SC 29938

Services: SCORE, Counselors to America's Small Business, is a nonprofit association dedicated to assisting entrepreneurs. They offer help and education with the formation, growth and success of small businesses nationwide. They also provide assistance to other non-profit organizations.

Eligibility: Must be entrepreneur of small business

Area Served: Beaufort Jasper Hampton and Colleton Counties

Second Helpings, Inc.

Contact: Peggy Warnke

E-Mail: pnbwarnke@roadrunner.com

Telephone: (843) 689-3689

Fax: (843) 689-3689

Address: P.O. Box 23621
Hilton Head Island, SC 29925-3621

Office Hours: Varies Mon. - Sat.

Services: Collecting food from restaurants and resorts and supplying it to public service agencies that service disadvantaged people.

Eligibility: Any 501c3 organization serving hungry families.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Select Health of South Carolina

Contact: Tommie Myers
E-Mail: tommie.myers@selecthealthofsc.com

Telephone: (800) 741-6605
Fax: (843) 569-4834

Address: P.O. Box 40849
Charleston, SC 29423-9976

Office Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week

Services: Free additional Medicaid benefits such as no co-pay for doctor or hospital visits, free personal health care items delivered to your door, 1 pair of free eyeglasses a year, free over the counter drug benefits, and more.

Eligibility: Current Medicaid recipient

Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Colleton, Hampton, Bamberg, Allendale, and Aiken Counties

Semper Health and Fitness

Contact: Crystal A. Dilliard, RN
E-Mail: crystal.dilliard@usmc-mccs.org

Telephone: (843) 228-7010
Office Hours: 7:30 - 4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: Building 408, MCAS
Beaufort, SC, 29902

Services: Health education and fitness services and facilities.

Eligibility: All Marine Corp beneficiaries, DOD employees, civilian personnel and retirees.

Area Served: Tri-Command

Senior Services of Beaufort County

Contact: Jannette E. Williams
E-Mail: ssbftco@islc.net
Website: www.seniorservicesofbeaufort.org

Telephone: (843) 524-1787
Fax: (843) 524-0532
Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 806
Port Royal, SC 29935

Physical: 1408 Parris Ave.
Port Royal, SC 29935

Services: Home delivered meals, transportation, group dining, homemaker service, health wellness programs.

Eligibility: Beaufort County resident age 60 and over

Area Served: Beaufort County

Social Security Administration

Contact: Patricia H. Brown
E-Mail: www.ssa.gov

Telephone: (843) 524-5795
Fax: (843) 524-1866

Address: 2212 Mossy Oaks Road
Port Royal, SC 29935

Office Hours: 8:30 - 3:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Benefit payments for retirees and families; disability for workers and families. Supplemental Social Security income for the aged and disabled, including children.

Eligibility: Requirements must be met.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Autism Society

Contact: Craig Stoxen
Website: www.scas.scautism.org

Telephone: (803) 750-6988 or 1-800-438-4790
Fax: (803) 750-8121

Address: 806 12th Street, Suite 203
W. Columbia, SC 29169

Office Hours: 9:00 - 4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Advocates for appropriate services to enable persons with autism to reach maximum potential. Information, referral, support to families. Awareness; public relations; referrals, supportive friendship; research information.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Commission For The Blind

E-Mail: publicinfo@sccb.sc.gov
Website: www.sccb.state.sc.us

Telephone: (843) 539-1156; 1-800-922-2222
Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: 101 Maple T. Willis Blvd.
Walterboro, SC 29488

Services: The mission of the South Carolina Commission for the Blind is to provide quality, individualized vocational rehabilitation services, independent living services, and prevention of blindness services to blind and visually impaired consumers leading to competitive employment and social and economic independence.

Eligibility: Legal blindness or progressive eye disease.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs

Contact: Brandolyn Pinkston, Administrator
Website: www.scconsumer.gov

Telephone: Toll Free: 1-800-922-1954
Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: 3600 Forest Drive
Columbia, SC 29250

Services: As initially created, the primary function of SCDCA is to regulate the consumer credit marketplace, to resolve any complaint arising out of the production, promotion or sale of consumer goods or services in South Carolina, whether or not credit is involved, and to promote a healthy competitive business climate with mutual confidence between buyers and sellers.

Eligibility: Consumer or business in South Carolina.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Department of Juvenile Justice - Beaufort

Contact: Jabari Dunbar
Website: www.state.sc.us/djj/

Telephone: (843) 525-1351
Fax: (843) 525-9320

Address: 1905 Duke Street, Room 220
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Process referrals to the Family Court for juvenile delinquency. Supervise juveniles on probation or parole; prevention and diversion programs. How to apply: Law enforcement referral; schools; parents. Cost: None

Eligibility: Children aged 9 - 16.

Area Served: Beaufort County

South Carolina Department of Juvenile Justice - Jasper County

Contact: Joseph Bonaparte
Website: www.state.sc.us/djj/

Telephone: (843) 726-5666
Fax: (843) 726-4223

Address: 10942 N. Jacob Smart Blvd.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Process referrals to the Family Court for juvenile delinquency. Supervise juveniles on probation or parole; prevention and diversion programs. How to apply: Law enforcement referral; schools; parents. Cost: None

Eligibility: Children aged 9 - 16.

Area Served: Jasper County

South Carolina Department of Social Services - Child Support Enforcement Division

Website: www.state.sc.us/dss/csed

Telephone: 1-800-768-5858

Address: 3346 Rivers Avenue, Suite E
North Charleston, SC 29405

Office Hours: 9:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Helps track down fathers or mothers who owe child support, provides information on establishing paternity, how to determine how much child support will be ordered, etc.

Eligibility: Any custodial parent who has physical custody of a child and needs assistance in obtaining child support payments.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

SC Department of Probation, Parole & Pardon Services - Beaufort

Contact: Lisa D. Alston, Agent-in-Charge

Telephone: (843) 525-7349

Address: P.O. Box 37
Beaufort, SC 29901-0037

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Supervise adults who receive probation from General Sessions Court and inmates released from Department of Corrections on parole or other early release programs.

Eligibility: Individuals placed under adult probation by Circuit Court or inmates released.

Area Served: Beaufort County

SC Department of Probation, Parole & Pardon Services - Jasper

Contact: David W. Hotchkiss, Agent in Charge

Telephone: (843) 726-7728

Website: www.dppps.sc.gov/

Fax: (843) 726-7729

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O.Box 577
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: 214 Second Ave.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Supervise adults who receive probation from general sessions court and inmates released from Department of Corrections on parole or other early release programs.

Eligibility: Individuals placed under adult probation by Circuit Court or inmates released.

Area Served: Jasper County

South Carolina Employment Security Commission

Contact: Mellissa Hawkins, Cell (843) 812-6414 **Office Hours:** 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)
Website: www.scesc.org **E-Mail:** mhhawkins@lowcountrycog.org

Services: Job search, career guidance, training assistance, unemployment assistance, counseling and referral

Eligibility: Per WIA guidelines - we serve adults, dislocated workers, and youth.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Beaufort

Phone: (843) 524-3351

Address:

P.O. Drawer 1067
914 Boundary Street
Beaufort, SC 29901

Jasper

Phone: (843) 726-3750

Address:

P.O. Box 1977
7774 West Main Street
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Walterboro

Phone: (843) 538-8980

Address:

P.O. Drawer 530
101 Mable T. Willis Blvd.
Walterboro, SC 29488

South Carolina Human Affairs Commission

Contact: Jesse Washington Jr., Commissioner **Telephone:** (803) 737-7800 ; 1-800-521-0725
E-Mail: info@schac.state.sc.us **Office Hours:** 8:30 - 5:00 (Mon-Fri)
Website: www.state.sc.us/schac/

Address: P.O. Box 4490
Columbia, SC 29204-4490

Physcial: 2611 Forest Drive, Suite 200
Columbia, SC 29204

Services: The mission of the South Carolina Human Affairs Commission is to eliminate and prevent unlawful discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations on the basis of race, color, sex, familial status, disability, national origin or religion.

Eligibility: General public.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Legal Services

Telephone: (843) 521-0623; 1-866-286-3677

E-Mail: www.sclegal.org

Fax: (843) 521-0678

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: 69 Robert Smalls Parkway, Suite 3-A
Beaufort, SC 29902

Services: Provides free civil legal services in the areas of family, housing, consumer, public benefits, probate, education, community economic development, employment, migrant farm workers, and taxpayers. Call or visit website for extensive list.

Eligibility: Must call Legal Aid telephone intake service to determine eligibility (888) 346-5592.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

South Carolina Office of Victim Assistance (SOVA)

Telephone: (803) 734-1900; 1-800-220-5370

Website: www.govoepp.state.sc.us/sova

Fax: (803) 734-1708

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: Edgar Brown Bldg, 1205 Pendelton Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Services: Help with filing for compensation fund; advocacy and support; referrals; training and technical assistance. Benefits can be paid up to \$15,000 for medical costs, counseling costs, lost wages or loss of support, burial/funeral costs. Crime must have caused physical injury or emotional trauma; victim must not have been engaged in illegal activity;

Eligibility: Any person who is a victim of a crime that happened in South Carolina.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Program Assistance Line - Lt. Governor's Office

Telephone: (803) 734-2080; 1-866-756-2855

Website: www.state.sc.us/ltgov

Fax: (803) 734-2082

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 142
Columbia, SC 29202-0142

Services: Information service to help people find the state agency or human service program to best meet their needs. Case advocacy is provided in situation where client is having difficulty obtaining needed services.

Eligibility: General public.

S.C. Protection and Advocacy for People with Disabilities, Inc.

Telephone: 1-866-275-7273; 1-866-232-4525 (TTY)

Fax: (803) 790-1946

Website: www.protectionandadvocacy-sc.org

Address: 3710 Landmark Drive, Suite 208
Columbia, SC 29204

Office Hours: 8:30 - 5:00 (Mon-Fri)

Services: To protect and promote the rights and welfare of persons with physical or mental disabilities; advocate for people and give referrals; intervention; legal services. How to apply: Telephone, write or walk in.

Eligibility: Those whose rights have been violated because of a disability.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina School for the Deaf and Blind

Contact: Carol Mabry-Garrett

E-Mail: cgarrett@scsdb.org

Website: www.scsdb.k12.sc.us

Telephone: 1(888) 447-2732 (voice/TTY)

Fax: (803) 577-7802

Address: 355 Cedar Springs Road
Spartanburg, SC 29302-4699

Office Hours: 8:00-4:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Specialized instructional and resource center providing services statewide for individuals who are deaf, blind or sensory multidisabled (children and adults), their families and the professionals who work with them; offers programs for preschool, elementary, middle school, high school, sensory multidisabled, vocational and postsecondary educational students, as well as a variety of outreach and support services.

Eligibility: Admissions criteria available upon request

Area Served: State of South Carolina

S.C. State Library Dept. for the Blind and Physically Handicapped

Telephone: (803) 734-4611 1-800-922-7818 **Office Hours:** 8:30 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: 1430 Senate Street
Columbia, SC, 29201

Services: Free library services for blind, visually impaired, and persons with other qualifying conditions. Collection contains Spanish language audio books.

Eligibility: All ages; South Carolina Citizens with qualifying conditions

South Carolina State Ombudsman Office

Telephone: (803) 734-5049

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Website: www.oepp.sc.gov/ombudsman

Services: Investigates complaints regarding public and private social service and health agencies, organizations and institutions; complaints about residential care, nursing and other health facilities; represents clients at hearings on a very limited basis; advocates for and works to ensure the delivery and continuity for children's services in the public sector.

Eligibility: General public.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Veterans Services

Telephone: (803) 734-0200

Fax: (803) 734-0197

E-Mail: va@oepp.sc.gov

Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Website: www.govoepp.state.sc.us/va

Address: 1205 Pendelton Street, Suite 369
Columbia, SC 29201

Services: The Office of Veterans' Affairs shall assist all ex-service personnel, regardless of wars in which their service may have been rendered, in filing, presenting and prosecuting to final determination all claims which they have for money compensation, hospitalization, training and insurance benefits under the terms of federal legislation. These services are extended to eligible dependents, including parents, widows, children and orphans of ex-service personnel. The Office administers the Free Tuition Program for certain war Veterans' children. It also must provide administrative support for the Veterans' Trust Fund Board of Trustees. In addition, the Office is mandated to provide training for the forty six County Veterans' Affairs Officers.

Eligibility: all ex-service personnel

Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Vocational Rehabilitation Department

Contact: Sally Daniel
E-Mail: beaufort@scvrd.state.sc.us
Website: www.scvrd.net

Telephone: (843) 522-1010
Fax: (843) 522-3763

Address: P.O. Box 4999
747 Robert Smalls Pkwy
Beaufort, SC 29903-4999

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: The South Carolina Vocational Rehabilitation Department is an employment agency for people with disabilities. Many of our clients are highly motivated but need help developing work skills. After eligibility is established, each client participates in an assessment to determine which vocational rehabilitation services are needed to help the client prepare for employment. The client is totally involved in the development of an Individualized plan for employment tailored to his or her abilities and interests.

Eligibility: Must have a physical and/or mental disability that interferes with your ability to work
Area Served: State of South Carolina

South Carolina Workers' Compensation Commission

Telephone: (803) 737-5700
Website: www.wcc.state.sc.us

Fax: (803) 737-5768
Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Address: P.O. Box 1715
Columbia, SC 29202-1715

Physical: 1612 Marion Street
Columbia, SC 29202

Services: Application of workers' compensation laws of South Carolina.

Eligibility: Workers injured on the job.
Area Served: State of South Carolina

Spay Neuter Alliance and Clinic (SNAC)

E-Mail: info@snac1.com
Website: www.snac1.com

Telephone: (843) 645-2500
Fax: (843) 645-2509

Address: 21 Getsinger Street
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Office Hours: Varies; call for hours of operation

Services: Low cost spay and neutering of dogs and cats; free transport to clinic for services.

Eligibility: General Public
Area Served: Beaufort, Jasper, Hampton and Colleton Counties

Special Olympics - South Carolina

Telephone: (803) 772-1555

Fax: (803) 772-0094

Website: www.so-sc.org

Address: Dutch Plaza; 810 Dutch Square Blvd, Suite 204
Columbia, SC 29210

Services: Special Olympics is an international nonprofit organization dedicated to empowering individuals with intellectual disabilities to become physically fit, productive and respected members of society through sports training and competition. Special Olympics offers children and adults with intellectual disabilities year-round training and competition in 30 Olympic-type summer and winter sports.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Specialized Alternatives for Families and Youth of America

Website: www.safy.org

Telephone: 1 (800) 532-7239

Address: 10100 Elida Road
Delphos, Ohio 45833

Services: Non-profit child welfare organization that specializes in therapeutic foster care, in home intervention, behavioral health services, adoption services, training and education. Provides treatment foster care in the states of Ohio, Indiana, South Carolina, Texas, Oklahoma, Nevada, Kentucky, Alabama and Florida. Many locations in South Carolina including Columbia, Orangeburg, Charleston, and Greenville.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

St. Francis by the Sea Catholic Church

Telephone: (843) 681-6350 Ext. 255

Address: 45 Beach City Road
Hilton Head Island, SC, 29926

Services: Social services, such as assistance with rent, utilities, food and medicine. Hispanic services available. HAPIN frozen foods food meals program for the isolated homebound.

Eligibility: Anyone in need

Area Served: Beaufort County

St. Vincent De Paul Society - Sacred Heart House

Telephone: (843) 524-2179

Office Hours: Vary

Address: St. Peter's Catholic Church
Beaufort, SC, 29902

Services: Has a food pantry on premise.

Eligibility: Anyone who is in need. Apply by telephone.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Technical College of the Lowcountry - Beaufort Campus

Contact: Admissions Department

Website: www.tclonline.org

Telephone: (843) 525-8211

Fax: (843) 525-8285

Address: 921 Ribaut Road
Beaufort, SC 29901

Office Hours: 8:00-4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Quality affordable transfer and career programs leading to Associate Degrees, diplomas and certificates. Specialized courses for business and industry, developmental education, continuing education, career development, and community service opportunities.

Eligibility: Open admissions policy.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper County

Technical College of the Lowcountry - New River Campus

Contact: Admissions Department

Website: www.tclonline.org

Telephone: (843) 470-6000

Fax: (843) 470-6007

Address: 100 Community College Drive
Bluffton, SC 29909

Office Hours: 8:00-4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Quality affordable transfer and career programs leading to Associate Degrees, diplomas and certificates. Specialized courses for business and industry, developmental education, continuing education, career development, and community service opportunities.

Eligibility: Open admissions policy.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper County

Thornwell Home and School for Children

Contact: Susan Mattison
E-Mail: www.thornwell.org

Telephone: (864) 938-2100, (864) 938-2100
Fax: (864) 833-7721

Address: P.O. Box 60
Clinton, SC 29325-0060

Office Hours: 8:00-4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Home and school for normal dependent children of single parent, no parents, or grandparents not able to care for children; children who have legal guardians who are related or court appointed.

Eligibility: K-12 grades from SC, FL and GA with Presbyterian background.

Area Served: State of South Carolina

Thumbs Up, Inc.

Contact: Shelia Manning
E-Mail: thumbsupbft@islc.net

Telephone: (843) 986-5437
Office Hours: Varies

Address: P.O. Box 325
Port Royal, SC 29935

Services: After school homework assistance, intersession & summer camp; field trips and enrichment activities; parental seminars.

Eligibility: Children whose parents are unable to assist them with school work; children must be registered as members of the Boys & Girls club. Annual fee is \$25.00

Area Served: Northern Beaufort County

Union Mission

Contact: Reverend Michael Elliot
Website: www.unionmission.org

Telephone: (912) 236-7423
Fax: (912) 236-3907

Address: 120 Fahm Street
Savannah, GA 31401

Office Hours: Call

Services: Provides shelters for men (Grace House), women (Magdeline Project), and families, short term housing assistance, health and dental care, behavior counseling, substance abuse programs, lifeskills training, job training, and employment assistance.

Eligibility: Homeless or at-risk to be homeless

Area Served: Savannah and surrounding counties

United Way of the Lowcountry, Inc.

Contact: Clarece S. Walker, President / CEO
Jill Briggs, Executive Vice President

Website: www.uwlowcountry.org
Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: United Way of the Lowcountry is an effective and efficient system of local community based organizations and partnerships that foster cooperation to build community capacity and provide positive solutions to health and human service needs in Beaufort and Jasper Counties.

Services include the annual Community Investment Process when volunteers / contributors from across the two county area assess and identify priority critical needs, review applications and fund local non-profit agencies through funds raised in the annual campaign to provide appropriate services to address the needs demonstrating measurable, positive outcomes. United Way conducts fund raising campaigns to fund the services provided by partner agencies, operates Help Line, Cancer Fund, The Volunteer Center, Disaster Services, Success By 6, and Operation Holiday Heroes.

Eligibility: General Public

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Beaufort Office

Contact: Clarece S. Walker, President / CEO
E-Mail: cwalker@uwlowcountry.org

Telephone: (843) 982-3040
Fax: (843) 982-3044

Address: P.O. Box 202
Beaufort, SC 29901

Physical: 2266 Boundary Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Hilton Head Island Office

Contact: Jill Briggs, Executive Vice President
E-Mail: jbriggs@uwlowcountry.org

Telephone: (843) 681-4304
Fax: (843) 686-4399

Address: P.O. Box 7281
Hilton Head Island, SC, 29938

Physical: 62 New Orleans Road
Hilton Head Island, SC 29938

Jasper Office

Contact: Any staff can help
E-Mail:

Telephone: (843) 645-6500
Fax: (843) 645-6500

Address: P.O. Box 1420
Ridgeland, SC, 29936

Physical: 306 Third Ave.
Ridgeland, SC 29936

***Please see following pages for a listing of
United Way of the Lowcountry programs***

United Way of the Lowcountry, Inc. - Programs

Helpline

Contact: Chrystie Turner
E-Mail: cturner@uwlowcountry.org
Website: www.uwlowcountry.org

Telephone: (843) 524-4357 (HELP)
(843) 686-4357 (HELP)
(843) 757-4357 (HELP)

Address: P.O. Box 202
Beaufort, SC 29901

Physical: 2266 Boundary Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Services: Link people in need with appropriate services through a network of local, state and national resources and services.

Eligibility: Anyone living or working in Beaufort or Jasper Counties

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Cancer Fund

Contact: Chrystie Turner
E-Mail: cturner@uwlowcountry.org
Website: www.uwlowcountry.org

Telephone: (843) 982-3040 ext. 22
Fax: (843) 982-3044

Address: P.O. Box 202
Beaufort, SC 29901

Physical: 2266 Boundary Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Services: Provides funding for therapy of cancer patient that is medically proven as treatment for the disease. The fund can be used to pay for treatments, medications, or home care assistance. This fund is to be used as a last resort, after all other resources have been exhausted. Must contact local hospice agency to obtain information on other possible funding sources before applying for this fund.

Eligibility: Anyone living or working in Beaufort or Jasper Counties that has been diagnosed with cancer. Must fill out application, which can be obtained at the United Way office.

Area Served: Beaufort and Jasper Counties

Volunteer Center

Contact: Bethany Marcinkowski
E-Mail: bethanym@uwlowcountry.org
Website: www.uwlowcountry.org

Telephone: (843) 686-4304
Fax: (843) 686-4399

Address: P.O. Box 7281
Hilton Head Island, SC, 29938

Physical: 62 New Orleans Road
Hilton Head Island, SC 29938

Services: The Volunteer Center recruits and matches the talents and interests of those seeking volunteer positions with all non-profit agencies in Beaufort and Jasper Counties.

Eligibility: Anyone wishing to volunteer

Disaster Recovery Services

Contact: Bethany Marcinkowski
E-Mail: bethanym@uwlowncountry.org
Website: www.uwlowncountry.org

Telephone: (843) 686-4304
Fax: (843) 686-4399

Address: P.O. Box 7281
Hilton Head Island, SC, 29938

Physical: 62 New Orleans Road
Hilton Head Island, SC 29938

Services: The Disaster Recovery team will only be utilized when a natural or man-made disaster has occurred. At that time, on the request of Beaufort County Emergency Management, we mobilize our services. The Disaster Recovery Program then becomes a clearinghouse for unaffiliated volunteers entering our county to volunteer, we operate a 24 hour information and referral hotline. United Way also accepts and administers disaster related contributions.

Eligibility: Anyone willing to volunteer
Area Served: Beaufort County

Success By 6 Family Learning Centers

Contact: Jill Briggs
E-Mail: jbriggs@uwlowncountry.org
Website: uwlowncountry.org

Telephone: (843) 686-4304
Fax: (843) 686-4399

Address: P.O. Box 7281
Hilton Head Island, SC, 29938

Physical: 62 New Orleans Road
Hilton Head Island, SC 29938

Office Hours: varied hours at Family Learning center sites.

Services: To provide parents the assistance needed to empower them to be their child's first teacher in order that their children enter school ready to learn. The Family Learning Centers house a large collection of age appropriate books, educational games, training videos and other learning materials available for checkout to parents and caregivers of young children.

Eligibility: Beaufort County residents and interested individuals from outlying counties
Area Served: Beaufort County

United Way of Bamberg, Colleton, and Hampton Counties

Contact: Janette Moyer, President
E-Mail: unitedwayof-bch@yahoo.com
Website: www.unitedwayofbch.org

Telephone: (843) 549-9594
Fax: (843) 549-9183

Address: P.O. Box 200
Walterboro, SC 29488

Office Hours: Lobby open from 9:00 – 1:00pm
Calls accepted 9:00 – 3:00pm

Services: Information and referral or assistance in all three counties, *Born Reading* and early childhood development materials, *Cool Hands, Warm Hearts* (fan and heater distribution to elderly/disabled), *Colleton Cares* (holiday program), *Dress 4 Success* (clothing closet for job interviews), *Education Matters* (spring school supply distribution to schools), *OTJT* for Family Independence clients, and funding programs that address identified needs in each community served.

United Way Organizations in South Carolina

United Way Association of South Carolina

2711 Middleburg Dr Ste 305
Columbia, SC 29204-2413
Timothy Ervolina, Chief Professional Officer
(803) 929-1000 / (803) 233-8417 (fax)
<http://www.uwasc.org>

United Way of Aiken County, Inc.

PO Box 699
Aiken, SC 29802-0699
Dee Stanford, President
(803) 648-8331 / (803) 641-2887 (fax)
<http://www.uwaiken.org>

United Way of Allendale County

PO Box 9
Allendale, SC 29810-0009
Eddie Williams, President
(803) 584-1885 / (803) 584-7049 (fax)

United Way of Anderson County

PO Box 2067
Anderson, SC 29622-2067
Carol Burdette, President/CPO
(864) 226-3438 / (864) 226-3430 (fax)
<http://www.unitedwayofanderson.org>

Barnwell County United Way

PO Box 189
Barnwell, SC 29812-0189
Fred Geier, CPO
(803) 259-2218

United Way of Marlboro County

PO Box 95
Bennettsville, SC 29512-0095
Mona Saunders, Executive Secretary
(843) 479-4802

United Way of Kershaw County

PO Box 737
Camden, SC 29020-0737
Donald Supplee, President
(803) 432-0951 / (803) 425-4616 (fax)
<http://www.uwkc.net/>

United Way of Chesterfield County

PO Box 433
Chesterfield, SC 29709-0433
Margaret Plettinger Mitchell, Coordinator
(843) 623-5274 / (843) 623-5360 (fax)

United Way of the Midlands

PO Box 152
Columbia, SC 29202-0152
Mac Bennett, President & CEO
(803) 733-5400

United Way of Darlington

402 Pearl Street
Darlington, SC 29532
Sandra Haselden, Secretary
(843) 393-1991

United Way of Pickens County

PO Box 96
Easley, SC 29641-0096
Julie Capaldi, Chief Professional Officer
(864) 850-7094 / (864) 306-8675 (fax)

United Way of Florence County

1621 W Palmetto St
Florence, SC 29501-4133
David Barr, President
(843) 662-2407 / (843) 667-0043 (fax)
www.uwflorence.org

Georgetown County United Way, Inc.

PO Box 1065
Georgetown, SC 29442-1065
Patricia Strickland, President/CEO
(843) 546-6317 / (843) 527-3213 (fax)

Chester Area United Way

PO Box 163
Chester, SC 29706-0163
Debbie Shugart, Executive Director
(803) 581-7000

United Way of Laurens County, Inc.

PO Box 544
Clinton, SC 29325-0544
Caroline Thomas, President
(864) 833-3623 / (864) 833-1209 (fax)

United Way of Horry County, Inc.

PO Box 673
Conway, SC 29528-0673
Olivia Garren, Executive Director
(843) 347-5195 / (843) 347-5196 (fax)
www.unitedwayhcsc.org

Dillon County United Way

PO Box 828
Dillon, SC 29536-0828
Dianne McLellan, Co-Executive Director
(843) 774-8551 / (843) 774-0114 (fax)

United Way of Edgefield County

PO Box 72
Edgefield, SC 29824-0072
Dean Campbell, President
(803) 275-3635

United Way of Cherokee County

PO Box 1167
Gaffney, SC 29342-1167
Deloris Blackwell, Executive Director
(864) 489-6170 / (864) 489-9120 (fax)

United Way of Greenville County, Inc.

105 Edinburgh Court
Greenville, SC 29607-2529
Ted Hendry, President
(864) 467-3333 / (864) 467-3535 (fax)
<http://www.unitedwaygc.org/>

United Way of Greenwood County

110 Phoenix St
Greenwood, SC 29646-2727
Christopher DiCarlo, Chief Executive Officer
(864) 229-4103 / (864) 229-7709 (fax)
<http://www.unitedwaygwd.org/>

United Way of Lancaster County, Inc.

PO Box 56
Lancaster, SC 29721-0056
Denise Keating, Executive Director
(803) 283-8923 / (803) 285-2844 (fax)

Pageland/Jefferson Area United Way

PO Box 914
Pageland, SC 29728-0914
Donna Steen, Executive Director
(843) 675-2472 / (843) 675-2473 (fax)

United Way of Oconee County

409 E North 1st Street
Suite A
Seneca, SC 29678-2768
David McCutcheon, Chief Professional Officer
(864) 882-9743 / (864) 882-9744 (fax)

United Way of Sumter, Clarendon and Lee Counties, Inc.

215 N Washington St
Sumter, SC 29150-4204
Mindy Popovich, President
(803) 773-7935 / (803) 773-5555 (fax)
<http://www.uwaysumter.org>

United Way of Hartsville

PO Box 756
Hartsville, SC 29551-0756
Teresa Gjennestad, Director
(843) 332-3261 / (843) 332-3832 (fax)

Trident United Way

PO Box 63305
North Charleston, SC 29419
Christopher Kerrigan, President
(843) 740-9000 / (843) 566-7193 (fax)
<http://www.tuw.org/>

United Way of York County

PO Box 925
Rock Hill, SC 29731-6925
Kimberly Keel, President/CPO
(803) 324-2735 / (803) 324-2987 (fax)
www.unitedwayofyc.org

United Way of the Piedmont

PO Box 5624
Spartanburg, SC 29304-5624
Kathy Dunleavy, President
(864) 582-7556 / (864) 582-9826 (fax)
<http://www.uwpiedmont.org/>

University of South Carolina - Beaufort Campus

Contact: Admissions Department
Website: www.uscb.edu

Telephone: (843) 521-4100
Fax: (843) 521-4100

Address: 801 Carteret Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: General university programs; associate baccalaureate, graduate degrees; continuing education; Small Business Development Center; Creative Retirement Center; USCB/Penn Center Partnership; Pritchards Island Programs; Center for Coastal Ecology.

Eligibility: Admissions application.

Area Served: Beaufort and surrounding counties

University of South Carolina - Bluffton Campus

Contact: Admissions Department
Website: www.uscb.edu

Telephone: (843) 208-8000
Fax: (843) 208-8290

Address: 1 University Blvd.
Bluffton, SC 29909

Office Hours: 8:30-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: General university programs; associate baccalaureate, graduate degrees; continuing education; Small Business Development Center; Creative Retirement Center; USCB/Penn Center Partnership; Pritchards Island Programs; Center for Coastal Ecology.

Eligibility: Admissions application.

Area Served: Beaufort and surrounding counties

USDA Rural Development

Contact: See listing under services
Website: www.rurdev.usda.gov

Telephone: (803) 765-5163
Fax: (803) 765-5633

Address: Strom Thurman Federal Bldg.,
1835 Assembly Stret, Rm. 1007
Columbia, SC 29201

Office Hours: 8:00-4:30pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Loans to buy, build and repair homes. Community loans such as sewer, water, fire departments, and other public needs.

Eligibility: Income requirements

Area Served: United States

Victim Advocate - Hardeeville Police Department

Contact: Martha E. Harris - Cuyler
Office Hours: 8:00 - 5:00pm

Telephone: (843) 784-2233
Fax: (843) 784-3422

Address: P.O. Box 582
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Physical: 36 Main Street
Hardeeville, SC 29927

Services: Provides victims and witnesses with assistance relating to a crime; Emergency housing and medical assistance.

Eligibility: Victims of crime in the Hardeeville City jurisdiction.

Area Served: Hardeeville City Jurisdiction

Victim Assistance Program - Beaufort City

Contact: Sgt. Griffith

Telephone: (843) 470-3716

Address: Ribaut Rd. (Arthur Horne Building)
Beaufort, SC 29901

Services: General victim assistance. Provides services to victims of crime, immediate assistance to crisis responses, work with referrals from CODA, Rape Crisis etc. Filing compensation for medical/burial expenses and court accompaniment.

Eligibility: Anyone in Beaufort County.

Area Served: Beaufort City

Victim Assistance Program - Ridgeland Police Dept.

Contact: Toni DeNicola
E-Mail: tonidenicola@hotmail.com

Telephone: (843) 726-7530
Fax: (843) 726-7525

Address: P.O.Box 1119
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Physical: One Town Square
Ridgeland, SC 29936

Services: Provide services to victims of crimes; immediate response to crisis; work with CODA, SOVA and Hope Haven.

Eligibility: Residents of Ridgeland; victims of crime or abuse

Area Served: Jasper County

Volunteer Medical Transportation

Telephone: (803) 584-3477; 1-866-735-6919

Office Hours: 8:00 – 5:00pm Mon. through Fri.

Website: www.gotohiltonheadisland.com/bus

Address: P.O. Box 531
Allendale, SC 29810

Services: Provides transportation to and from medical appointments. Must call 48 hours in advance and have all details of the trip ready.

Eligibility: Sign up over the phone. This service is for those able to get in and out of a car with minimal assistance, and who cannot use other transportation options such as Medicaid and V.A. administration.

Area Served: Hilton Head / Dufuskie Islands

Volunteers in Medicine

Contact: Anne Finn, Director of Development

Telephone: (843) 681-6612

Website: www.vimclinic.org

Fax: (843) 681-6614

Address: 15 Northridge Drive
Hilton Head Island, SC, 29926

Office Hours: Clinic hours: Mon. / Wed. / Fri. 9:00-12:00; Tues. and Thurs. 9:00 - 12:00 and 1:30-4:30pm

Services: Provides immunizations, physical exams, general medicine, dental care, and a wide variety of specialized services (cardiology, chiropractic, dermatology, endocrinology, gastroenterology, gynecology, mental health, neurology, ophthalmology, pediatrics, physical therapy, surgery, and urology). Diagnostic tests include x-rays, ultrasounds, pap smears, cancer screenings, and a full range of blood tests. VIM also provides multidisciplinary clinics dedicated to patients with diabetes or high blood pressure.

Eligibility: Live or work on Hilton Head or Daufuskie Island; baseline financial requirements; no health care insurance. Other factors may affect eligibility. Counselors are available during clinic hours to review and determine eligibility.

Area Served: Hilton Head / Dufuskie Islands

Volunteers Outreach in Community Effort

Contact: Lt. Carol Smalls-Jenkins

Website: www.bftpolice.com

Telephone: (843) 322-7913

Office Hours: Varies

Address: City of Beaufort Police Dept.

990 Ribaut Rd. #107

Beaufort, SC, 29902

Services: Daily contact with elderly/disabled to check on their well being. All volunteer.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School-Youth Challenge Academy

Contact: Diana Smith

E-Mail: www.willougray.org

Telephone: (803) 896-6480

Fax: (803) 896-6490

Address: 3300 West Campus Road
West Columbia, SC 29170

Office Hours: 8:00-5:00pm (Mon-Fri)

Services: Youth Challenge Academy: a military environment for high school drop outs designed to help youth acquire the basic skills necessary to succeed in life. The academy life is based on leadership, teamwork and self-discipline as taught and modeled within a quasi-military framework.

Eligibility: Citizens or local residents of the U.S. & S.C, 16-19 years old who have dropped out of school. No felony convictions

Area Served: State of South Carolina

YMCA of Beaufort County

Telephone: (843) 521-9622

E-Mail: ymcadevelopment@yahoo.com

Fax: (843) 521-1861

Office Hours: Varies

Address: 1801 Richmond Ave.
Port Royal, SC, 29935

Services: Fitness and wellness programs, youth and adult sports, aquatics programs, after schoolcare.

Area Served: Beaufort County

Toll Free Phone Numbers

Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS)

Public Information Hotline 1-800-342-2437

Alcoholism and Drug Abuse

Al-Anon Family and Friends 1-800-356-9996

Al-Anon/Alateen Family Group 1-800-356-9996

Alcohol & Drug Help Line 1-800-821-4357

Alcoholism Helpline 1-800-252-6465

Mothers Against Drunk Drivers 1-800-543-8692

National Council on Alcoholism 1-800-622-2255

National Institute on Drug Abuse, Treatment & Referrals 1-800-662-4357

Alzheimer's Disease

Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association 1-800-272-3900

Alzheimer's Support Network 1-800-672-4213

Asthma/ Lungs

The Lung Line 1-800-222-5864

Cancer

AMC Cancer Research Center 1-800-525-3777

American Cancer Society 1-800-227-2345

Best Chance Network 1-800-422-6237

Breast Cancer Information 1-800-221-2141

Cancer Breast Support 1-800-422-6237

Cancer Research Fund 1-800-445-2494

Cancer Research Institute 1-800-992-2623

City of Hope-Cancer and Major Diseases Center 1-800-423-7119

Cerebral Palsy

United Cerebral Palsy Association, Inc. 1-800-872-5827

Child Abuse

National Child Abuse Hotline 1-800-422-4453

PRO Parents for South Carolina 1-800-759-4776

S.C. Parents Anonymous 1-800-326-8621

Children

Child Find 1-800-426-5678

Child Help USA 1-800-422-4453

National Hotline for Missing and Exploited Children 1-800-843-5678

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 1-800-877-5833

Conservation and Renewable Energy

Conservation and Renewable Energy 1-800-523-2929

Consumer Product Safety

Consumer Product Safety 1-800-638-2772

Credit Card Information 1-800-468-5463

Cystic Fibrosis

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation 1-800-344-4823

Diabetes

American Diabetes Association and Foundation 1-800-232-3472

Diabetes Resource Institute 1-800-321-3437

Disabled

Association of Retarded Citizens (ARC) 1-800-433-5255

Heartspring (School for Multiple Disabled) 1-800-835-1043

National Easter Seal Society 1-800-221-6827

National Foundation of Dentistry for the Handicapped 1-800-366-3331

SC Foundation of Dentistry for the Handicapped 1-888-426-7379

Down Syndrome

National Down Syndrome Society 1-800-221-4602

Dwarfism

Little People's Research Fund 1-800-232-5773

Endometriosis

Endometriosis Association 1-800-992-3636

Epilepsy

Epilepsy Foundation 1-800-332-1000

Eye

American Council for the Blind 1-800-424-8666

American Foundation for the Blind 1-800-232-5463

Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind 1-800-548-4337

National Society to Prevent Blindness 1-800-621-0026

Prevent Blindness America 1-800-331-2020

Research to Prevent Blindness 1-800-621-0026

South Carolina Commission for the Blind 1-800-922-2222

Eye Care America (Senior Citizens) 1-800-222-3937

Headaches

National Headache Foundations 1-800-843-2256

Health Information Clearinghouse

Health Information 1-800-336-4797

Hearing and Speech

American Tinnitus Association 1-800-634-8978

Better Hearing Institute 1-800-327-9355

Hearing and Speech (Cont.)

International Hearing Society 1-800-521-5247

National Association for Hearing and Speech Action 1-800-521-5247

Deafness Research Foundation 1-888-435-6104

Heart

American Heart Association 1-800-242-8721

National Stroke Association 1-800-787-6537

Hospice

National Hospice Organization 1-800-658-8898

Housing

Housing and Early Development 1-800-669-9777

Hurricane Information

Hurricane Insurance Information Institute 1-800-942-4242

Internal Revenue Services

Internal Revenue Services 1-800-829-1040

Kidney Disease

American Kidney Fund 1-800-638-8299

National Kidney Foundation 1-800-622-9010

Lead

National Lead Information Center 1-800-532-3394

Leukemia

Cancer Information Service 1-800-422-6237

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society of America 1-800-955-4572

National Marrow Transplant 1-800-627-7692

Liver Disease

American Liver Foundation 1-800-223-0179

Lou Gehrig's Disease

ALS Association 1-800-782-4747

Lupus

Lupus Foundation of America
(Spanish)

1-800-558-0121
1-800-558-0231

Medic Alert

Medic Alert Foundation International

1-800-432-5378

Mental Health

Mental Health America International
National Alliance for the Mentally Ill

1-800-969-6642
1-800-950-6264

Multiple Sclerosis

National Multiple Sclerosis Society

1-800-477-2955

Organs

The Living Bank

1-800-528-2971

Osteoporosis

National Osteoporosis Foundation

1-800-223-9994

Paralysis/Spinal

National Spinal Cord Injury Association

1-800-962-9629

Parkinson's Disease

American Parkinson's Disease Association
National Parkinson's Foundation
Parkinson's Disease Foundation

1-800-223-2732
1-800-327-4545
1-800-457-6676

Plastic Surgery

American Society of Plastic Surgeons Referral Service

1-800-635-0635

Pregnancy

Abortion Federation Hotline

1-800-772-9100

Premenstrual Syndrome

Women's Health America

1-800-222-4767

Rape

National Sexual Assault Hotline

1-800-656-4673

Rare Disease

Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America
Huntington's Disease Society for America
International Rett Syndrome Association
Myasthenia Gravis Foundation
National Marfan Foundation

1-800-932-2423
1-800-345-4372
1-800-818-7388
1-800-541-5454
1-800-862-7326

Rare Disease (Continued)

National Organization for Rare Disorders	1-800-999-6673
National Tuberous for Rare Disorders	1-800-225-6872

Reyes Syndrome

National Reyes Syndrome Foundation	1-800-233-7393
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Sexually Transmitted Diseases

American Social Health Association	1-800-227-7393
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Sickle Cell Disease

National Association for Sickle Cell Disease	1-800-421-8453
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Social Security

Social Security Hotline	1-800-772-1213
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Spina Bifida

Spina Bifida Association of America	1-800-621-3141
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Stuttering Hotline

Stuttering Hotline	1-800-221-2483
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Sudden Infant Death Syndrome

National SIDS Alliance	1-800-221-7437
National SIDS Support Group	1-800-638-7437

Thyroid

Thyroid Foundation of America, Inc.	1-800-832-8321
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Venereal Disease

American Health Association	1-800-227-8922
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